

WILSON DECIDES ON COURSE OF ACTION

BEGINS PREPARING SPEECH TO CONGRESS

Formal Recognition of a State of War Expected When Session Opens

OPINIONS COINCIDE

Officials Believe that Germany is Making War On the United States

CALL OUT MORE GUARDS

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The administrative branch of the American government has determined definitely upon a course of action to meet the hostility of Germany. While official announcement is withheld pending the appearance of President Wilson before congress, formal recognition of the existence of a state of war is expected to follow soon after the extra session begins. The president, having decided on the principal feature of the address, is putting the document in writing and, it is said, he had a final discussion with his cabinet. The meeting lasted an hour and a half, but with conclusions quickly made known time was found for attention to individual departmental matters. Later the president conferred briefly with Secretaries Baker and Daniels, heads of the war and navy departments.

No Difference of Opinion.
There is said to have been no difference of opinion in the cabinet on the great question. The president's advisers have long since accepted it as a fact that war actually is being waged against the United States.

Officials believe that Germany is making war on this nation because she has taken more than 24 American lives on the high seas, because she has destroyed American ships by the wholesale, because millions of dollars' worth of damage has been done as a result of German plots in the United States, because she has attempted to set on foot a conspiracy with Mexico and Japan to dismember the republic and finally because of the belief that Germany's triumphant will constitute a future menace to the peace of the world in general and the United States in particular.

Place Responsibility on Rulers.
The United States, it is emphasized in official quarters, has not in the past and does not desire war with the German people. But on the German government responsibility is placed for the terrorism on land and sea which, now that it has been directed against American citizens and American interests, it must be actively combated.

Just what part the United States will play is a question the government has yet to determine. The broad policy to be pursued will be developed only after the nation's status has been defined by congress and urgent defense steps completed.

After the president has delivered his address congress is expected to take under consideration promptly the granting of a large credit to the government and to provide for the raising of an army of perhaps 1,000,000 men. Other measures, such as a censorship bill, a spy bill, the regular army appropriation bill and emergency legislation for the army and navy also will be submitted.

Plans no Political Alliance.
The government so far as is known has no plans for a political alliance with the entente allies, although a decree of military co-operation of course will be essential. Always in the president's mind it is believed will be the ultimate permanent peace for which he already has outlined his program for a league of nations backed by moral and military force.

As summarized today, everything that the government believes can be done without congressional action to arm against Germany either has been done or is being planned. What day the president will appear before congress to deliver his momentous message will not be fixed until it is seen how long it will take the house to organize.

It is realized there will be some opposition in congress but summaries of public opinion collected by officials have convinced the administration that the nation will stand almost solidly behind any action the president may recommend and no doubt as felt about the result at the capitol.

Begins Preparing Address.
Prior to today's cabinet meeting, the president, giving up his usual morning game of golf, shut himself in his study and began the preparation of his address.

While the details of the conference between the president and Secretaries Baker and Daniels after the cabinet meeting were not made known, both of the cabinet members

FEAR OF WAR REASON FOR SUICIDE

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 30.—Fear that he might have to go to war against the Germans is believed to have been the reason for the suicide of Fred Conrad, 21 years old, who hanged himself in the barn at his home at Linn Junction, a few miles from here. He had been in Cedar Rapids Thursday and was an interested observer of a patriotic military parade in which two companies of the Iowa state guard took part. He told old soldiers here after the demonstration that he never would go to war.

Conrad left a note bidding goodbye to his mother, sisters and brothers, which ended: "I would not go to war."

LORD ROBERT REPLIES TO GERMAN CHANCELLOR

British Blockade Minister Makes Statement

Asserts "It Would Hardly Seem That Germany Is in a Position to Speak of Humanity or International Agreements."

London, March 30.—Lord Robert Cecil, the British blockade minister, this evening made reply to the latest utterances of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, in a statement to The Associated Press.

"Violated Dictates of Humanity," said the German chancellor, claiming that Germany in the past renounced the unrestricted use of her submarine weapon in the expectation that Great Britain could be made to observe in her blockade policy the laws of humanity and international agreements," said Lord Robert. "It is difficult to say whether this statement is the more remarkable for its hypocrisy or for its falseness. It would hardly seem that Germany is in a position to speak of humanity or international agreements, since she began this war by deliberately violating the international agreement guaranteeing the neutrality of Belgium and has continued it by violating all the dictates of humanity."

"Has the chancellor forgotten that the German forces have been guilty of excesses in Belgium, unparalleled in history, culminating in the attempted enslavement of a countless people, of poisoning wells, of bombarding open towns, torpedoing hospital ships and sinking other vessels with total disregard for the safety of non-combatants on board with the result that many hundreds of innocent victims, including both women and children have lost their lives?"

Refers To Deportation.
"The latest manifestation of this policy is to be seen in the deportation and deportations carried out by the Germans in their forced retreat on the western front. The chancellor states that it is because the allies have not abandoned their blockade and have refused the so-called peace offer of Germany, that unrestricted submarine warfare now is decided on. As to this I will do no more than quote what the chancellor himself said in the reichstag when announcing the adoption of unrestricted submarine war."

"He said that as soon as he himself, in agreement with the supreme army command reached the conviction that ruthless U-boat warfare would bring Germany nearer to a victorious peace, then the U-boat warfare would be started."

"This moment has now arrived. Last autumn the time was not ripe but the moment has come, when, with the greatest prospect of success, we can undertake this enterprise. We must not wait any longer. Where has there been a chance? In the first place, the most important fact of all is that the number of our submarines has been very considerably increased as compared with last spring and thereby a firm basis has been created for success."

Points Out Attacks on Ships.
"Does not this point conclusively that it was not any scruple or any respect for international law or neutral rights that prevented unrestricted warfare from being adopted earlier, but merely a lack of means to carry out? I think it may be useful once again to point out that the illegal and inhuman attack on shipping by the Germans cannot be justified as a reprisal for the action of Great Britain in attempting to cut off from Germany all imports."

"The submarine campaign was clearly contemplated as far back as Dec. 1914, when Admiral Von Tirpitz gave indication to an American correspondent in Berlin of the projected plan."

"The allusion made to Russia by the German chancellor can hardly be treated seriously. A government of Hohenzollerns cannot pose as the champions of freedom and self-government as against autocracy."

TAKE NO ACTION ON CONFERENCE QUESTION

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 30.—Nothing was done by the board of regents of the University of Michigan today relative to the proposal that Michigan would make application for re-admission to the Western Intercollegiate conference.

Resolutions favoring the return of the University of Michigan to the conference were adopted Feb. 22 by the board of control in athletics and submitted to the regents whose approval is necessary before the required changes in athletic rules to make Michigan eligible to the conference.

OFFER AERIAL COAST PATROL STATION TO U. S.

Rodman Wanamaker Makes Gift Thru Aero Club

Includes An Air Cruiser Fitted With 200-Horsepower Motors and An Airplane Gun—Make Announcement At Aero Club Dinner.

New York, March 30.—The fully equipped aerial coast patrol station at Port Washington, N. Y., together with an air cruiser fitted with two 200-horsepower motors and an airplane gun, were offered to the government tonight thru the Aero Club of America by Rodman Wanamaker. Announcement of the gift was made at a dinner of the Aero Club at which former Ambassador James W. Gerard was one of the speakers. Many men of prominence attended.

Award Collier Trophy.
Allen R. Hawley, president of the club announced that the Collier Trophy offered annually for the greatest achievement in aviation in America had been given to Elmer A. Sperry and Lawrence B. Sperry for the development of a drift indicator. He made public also the award of the Aero Club's medal of merit which has been given to Miss Ruth Law for establishing the American distance record across country, to Philip Carroll for his patriotic work in training military aviators, to Floyd Smith for establishing American hydro-altitude records, to Corporal A. D. Smith, U. S. A., for American hydro-altitude records, to Captain Culver, U. S. A., for wireless experimentation, and to James V. Martin for the invention of the aero-dynamic stabilizer.

Mr. Gerard in his address declared that the legend of the embattled farmer is responsible for much unpreparedness.

"We hear even today," he said, "prattlings about embattled farmers taking their old muskets from over the chimney piece and defeating the invader. But nowadays the old flintlocks mean Zeppelins, airplanes, captive observation balloons, steel helmets, gas and gas masks, machine guns, eighteen inch howitzers, trench mortars, armored automobiles, tanks, miles of barbed wire, underground mining, rockets and grenades and countless other instruments of war, the proper use of which can only be learned after years of hard application. If we are in for war we are in for a serious war."

Believes German-Americans Loyal.
"I believe that the men of German blood who have joined us will remain loyal to this country. We must extend the helping hand to our German-Americans, who affected as was their right in the beginning by a purely sentimental feeling toward the land of Germany and the German people, are now ready to climb on the band wagon."

"But there are men who desire it to abuse our hospitality—to sow the seeds of riot, rebellion and treason—then I think we know where to bestow them. But these will be few and help and tolerance must be our watchwords while the nation forms for war behind our president."

"We go in this war only after every move was made that could be made for peace. No one knows better than I do the masterful efforts in this connection made. His work in the dark pages of the history of this dreadful war. The president and his cabinet have been doing a wonderful work to prepare—but he always works, whether for peace or war, without the accompaniment of a brass band."

"This is no time for petty, personal ambitions or peddling policies. Who wants to eat a dinner cooked by an amateur cook who wants to be defended by an amateur lawyer or doctored by an amateur doctor and who wants to go to war under an amateur military administration."

"Universal service is the only solution."

Spirit of America Aroused.
"I am confident that the spirit of America is aroused. We have confidence in our president and just as he has been superlatively patient for the cause of peace he will be superlatively efficient on his leadership in war."

Letters of regret were received from Theodore Roosevelt, senator B. R. Tilman, Governor Whitman and others.

Geraldine Farrar sang the Star Spangled Banner, during a standing toast to the commander-in-chief of our navy and army.

HOPED TO LEAD U. S. ARMY AERO CORPS

NEW YORK, March 30.—Sergeant James R. McConnell, of North Carolina, the aviator who was killed behind the German lines last week while fighting for the Allies hoped to lead a United States army aero corps on the French front. In a letter just received here he gave expression to that hope, together with the expectation that he and Lieutenant William Thaw would be shifted to the American aviation service if Washington sent a force overseas.

The Entente aviators are looking for harder aerial fighting this spring, he wrote, because the Germans said the war would be won in the air.

RESCUED SAILORS REACH RIO JANEIRO

French Bark Transports 200 From Ships Sunk Off Trinidad

DESCRIBE RAIDER

Seamen Say Craft is An Armed Sailing Ship with a Gasoline Motor

U. S. SHIP SIGHTS RAIDER

RIO JANEIRO, March 30.—The French bark Cambonne has arrived here with two hundred men of the crews of various steamers and sailing ships by a German raider off the island of Trinidad. They reported that many sailors from the sunken vessels were drowned.

The rescued sailors, who are French, English and Italian, report that the raider is an armed sailing ship with a gasoline motor. They say the raider showed the Norwegian flag and when it sighted a ship signalled it to approach. As soon as the ship obeyed the signal, the raider hoisted the German flag and opened fire.

Mongolia Sights Raider.
No Date, March 30.—An armed vessel believed to be the converted raider St. Theodore, was sighted in mid-ocean three days ago by the American freight steamer Mongolia which arrived at an American port.

If it was not the St. Theodore the Mongolia's officers were certain the vessel was a German raider, both because of her actions and because her wireless operator talked in German.

The Mongolia encountered the raider March 27, 1,000 miles east of Sandy Hook, the officers said. The raider approached within a half mile of the American freighter, circled around her and then made away without signalling, but her wireless was cracking out messages in German to some unknown receiver. The stranger had two masts and one funnel, was painted a war gray and armed with three big guns. She had a speed of about sixteen knots.

Took Her for St. Theodore.
The Mongolia's officers took her for the St. Theodore, which was captured by the German Cruiser Moewe last December in Southern American waters, and fitted out with armament.

The St. Theodore was reported in Copenhagen despatches today to have been sunk off Rio Janeiro after having transferred to the Moewe the prisoners the St. Theodore captured from the British Steamship Governor after sinking the latter vessel.

The arrival of the Mongolia today marked the completion of the first round trip across the Atlantic made by an American vessel since the inauguration of the German ruthless warfare.

RUSSIAN APPLIES FOR CITIZENSHIP PAPERS

DAVENPORT, Ia., March 30.—John C. Mond of East Moline, a Russian, applied for first citizenship papers in the office of the circuit court in Rock Island today. Deputy Clerk Link was undecided for a time as to whom or what Mond should renounce allegiance, owing to the situation in Russia. Finally the clerk settled the point by having the Russian renounce his allegiance to the Republic of Russia, the government of Russia, the duma of Russia and Nicholas II, the czar.

WOULD CONFER TITLE OF "FAITHFUL" ON KAISER

LONDON, March 30.—According to the Berlin newspapers says the Exchange Telegraph company's Amsterdam correspondent, five thousand petitions have been placed before the reichstag. A large number of these demand that the reichstag confer upon Emperor William the title of the "faithful" so that he may go down in the history of the age associated with him. The reichstag petition commission will discuss the suggestion, the correspondent adds.

WILL MAKE PUBLIC EXECUTIVE ORDER

Washington, March 30.—Postmaster General Burleson will make public tomorrow an executive order issued by President Wilson providing that after April 1, first, second and third class postmasters before being nominated must pass examinations prepared by the civil service committee.

INSPECTING TROOPS

Columbus, N. M., March 30.—Major General John J. Pershing, commander of the southern department arrived here today from Douglas, Ariz. He is making an inspection of

MOEWE TAKES FORTY AMERICANS TO GERMANY

Men Being Held As Prisoners of War in Germany

American Seaman Who Arrives At Copenhagen Gives Out Report—States Nearly All the Men were Horsemen Aboard the Esmeraldas.

Copenhagen, March 30.—via London.—More than forty Americans were among the prisoners taken to Germany by the German commerce raider Moewe, according to Jack Benson, an American seaman who has arrived here. The Americans, he says, now are held as prisoners of war in Germany.

Benson, who for a time was a fellow prisoner of the men now held in Germany, says that nearly all of the forty men were horsemen aboard the horse transport Esmeraldas which was sunk by the Moewe. The only exception whom Benson was able to mention was an American named Smith who was aboard the British armed merchantman Brecknockshire.

In Camp in West Phalia.

The Americans captured, together with the British crews at last accounts were in a prison camp in West Phalia having been taken from the Moewe three days after her arrival at Kiel. Benson, who is serving on the unarmed Norwegian bark Staut and not on an armed or belligerent merchantman. The Staut was returning to Queenstown with whale oil when she encountered the St. Theodore, a British steamer that had been captured and armed, equipped as an auxiliary cruiser. The St. Theodore, after making an independent cruise in which she captured and destroyed the Staut, rejoined the Moewe February 12 and was sunk the following night.

The Moewe which had been operating well to the south of the equator then headed northward and destroyed seven more steamers, two of which resisted stoutly. The Moewe passed the Skagerrak and thru the sound disguised as a Swedish freighter and arrived at Kiel March 22.

The German auxiliary cruiser Moewe, according to Berlin reports took 553 prisoners to Germany. Shipping men at Newport News this week said fifty American muleteers were aboard the British Steamer Esmeraldas.

Fifty-nine American seamen taken to Germany by the prize ship Yarrowdale were released by Germany March 10 and now are on their way to the United States.

ENTERS PLEA OF NOLLE CONTENDRE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 30.—Orin D. Bleakley, Republican congressman-elect from the twenty-eighth Pennsylvania district, tonight entered a plea of nolle contendere in United States district court here to an indictment returned last today by the federal grand jury charging him with expending more than the legal maximum of \$5,000 to promote his election last November.

The court set Thursday, April 5 at Pittsburgh, as the time and place for imposing sentence upon the congressman-elect. Mr. Bleakley was released upon his own recognizance.

No statement was made by Mr. Bleakley as to his proposed action with regard to his seat in congress or as to whether he would attend the opening session Monday.

STATE SIX BOATS LEFT ALNWICK CASTLE

LONDON, March 30.—The owners of the British Steamer Alnwick Castle which was sunk recently by a German torpedo boat when 329 miles out in the Atlantic ocean, have issued a statement differing from that made public Thursday night concerning the number of boats that left the steamer. The statement says the crew and passengers embarked in six boats instead of five. Three of the boats have not yet been heard from. Up to the present the only persons known to have been saved were eight passengers and fifty-three members of the crew.

CHINESE LEGATION DENIES STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The Chinese legation announced tonight it had been authorized by cable to deny as untrue a recently published statement that President Li Yuan Hung had an interview expressing regret that the cabinet had broken off relations with Germany saying it would be unwise for China to join the entente at this time and declaring the opinion the Russian revolution was a decided advance to Germany. Legation officials said they had been informed that the president had given no such interview.

RATIFIED WAGE SCALE AGREEMENT

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 30.—In joint convention here today operators and miners of district No. 17, United Mine Workers of America, embracing the Kanawha coal fields, ratified without change the wage scale agreement tentatively made by the joint scale committee here last week. The agreement provides for full recognition of the union, an eight hour day, an advance of 6 1-2 cents a ton on the mining rate and 27 1-2 per cent increase in the day laborers' wage. It will be effective from April 2, 1917.

ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW DEPARTMENT APPROVED

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 30.—Establishment of a department of military science at the University of Michigan was given formal approval by the board of regents today. While expressing approval of the attitude of the students in voting yesterday for compulsory military training it was decided that facilities here are inadequate for compulsory training and that the course therefore shall be entirely optional with the students.

Earlier in the day, the regents voted to appropriate \$2,500 to utilize the resources of the faculty, students and alumni to gather information for the use of the federal government.

HEAR ARGUMENT ON THAW'S EXTRADITION

Attorney General Represents Governor Brumbaugh

At Conclusion of Hearing Attorney General Announces He Will File an Opinion With the Governor—Six Lawyers Argue for Thaw's Removal to New York.

Philadelphia, March 30.—Argument was heard here today by Attorney General Brown, representing Governor Brumbaugh, in the matter of the extradition of Harry K. Thaw to New York to stand trial on charges of beating Frederick Gump, Jr., a Kansas City school boy. Thaw recently was adjudged insane by the county court here and is still in the hospital where he was taken last January after attempting suicide.

Six lawyers argued for Thaw's removal to New York and one representing the Thaw family opposed extradition. At the conclusion of the hearing the attorney general announced he would file an opinion with the governor.

James Gay Gordon, representing the Thaw family contended that Thaw, having been declared insane, is in the sovereign possession of the state which so adjudged him and that he is civilly dead and cannot be tried for crime.

Deputy Attorney General Becker of New York, Assistant District Attorney Black of New York, and George F. Turner, also of the New York district attorney's office argued that the Pennsylvania governor has no discretion but to honor the requisition of the governor of New York that the function of the governor is ministerial and executive and not judicial.

Mr. Black said Thaw comes to life civilly whenever it suits him. He dies civilly in one state and comes to life in another, he said. When Mr. Becker said he felt a "certain skepticism about the new mental condition of Thaw" Mr. Gordon retorted that the New York authorities had complained about Thaw millions debauching New York. They now want the Thaw millions back there to further corrupt New York, enrich lawyers and experts.

APPEAL TO GERMAN PEOPLE FOR PEACE

PETROGRAD, March 30.—via London.—The attempt of the Russian working classes to establish peace by appealing directly to the German people to overthrow the Hohenzollern dynasty and reconstruct the government of their country by the same means as adopted by the Russian revolutionists is likened by the Russiankolia Volia to President Wilson's peace proposal. The newspaper states that although President Wilson's attempt ended in failure it exerted a tremendous influence upon the opinion of the world and served to strengthen the cause for which the entente allies are fighting.

WALKS 25 MILES TO BECOME A MARINE

NEWARK, N. J., March 30.—Andrew Miller, a young farmer who is on his way today to join the United States marines at Charleston, S. C., walked 25 miles to enlist because he had no money and was too proud to beg a ride. He told the recruiting officer:

"I was working in a field, when a fellow came along and said the Germans were bombing New York. I dropped my hoe and didn't wait even to get my wages. I don't need a uniform. All I want is a gun."

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois: Increasing cloudiness and warmer Saturday, followed by showers at night; Sunday mostly cloudy and much colder, strong southwest shifting to northwest winds.

Temperatures.		The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:	
Jacksonville	65	74	83
Boston	44	46	54
Buffalo	32	36	28
New York	48	52	36
New Orleans	68	78	54
Chicago	59	60	37
Detroit	48	50	30
Omaha	58	74	44
St. Paul	52	54	32
Helena	50	34	24
San Francisco	50	56	47

ZIMMERMANN SPEAKS IN THE REICHSTAG

Tells of Germany's Attempt To Ally Mexico and Japan Against U. S.

INVESTIGATING AFFAIR

Germany Attempting to Discover How Instructions Fell Into American Hands

CONSIDERED ACT DUTY

LONDON, March 30.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent sends the following concerning the address of Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, minister of foreign affairs, with regard to Germany's attempt to enroll Mexico and Japan with the United States. Hugh Hasse, leader of the Socialists, minority in the reichstag, remarked that the German offer of an alliance with Mexico had aggravated the situation with the United States and Dr. Zimmermann replying, said:

"I wrote no letter to Carranza. I wrote no letter to General Carranza. I was not so naive. I merely addressed by a route that appeared to me to be a safe one, instructions to our representative in Mexico. It is being investigated how these instructions fell into the hands of the American authorities."

"I instructed the minister to Mexico in the event of war with the United States to propose a German alliance to Mexico and simultaneously to suggest that Japan join the alliance. I declared expressly that despite the submarine war we hoped America would maintain neutrality. 'My instructions were to be carried out only after the United States declared war and a state of war supervened. I believe the instructions were absolutely loyal as regards the United States. General Carranza would, up to the present, have heard nothing of it if the United States had not published the instructions which came into its hands in a way which was not unobjectionable. Our behavior contrasts considerably with the behavior of the Washington government."

U. S. Declined to Negotiate.
"President Wilson after our note of Jan. 31, 1917, which avoided all aggressiveness in tone, deemed it proper immediately to break off relations with extra-ordinary roughness. Our ambassador no longer had the opportunity to explain or elucidate orally our attitude. The United States government thus decided to negotiate with us. On the other hand it addressed itself immediately to all neutral powers to induce them to join the United States and break with us."

"Every unprejudiced person must see in this hostile attitude of the American government which seemed to consider it right, before being at war with us, to set the entire world against us. It cannot deny us the right to seek allies when it has itself practically declared war on us."

"Herr Hasse says it caused great indignation in America. Of course in the first instance, the affair was employed as an incitement against us. But meanwhile the storm abated slowly and the calm and sensible politicians and also the great mass of the American people saw there was nothing to object to in these instructions in themselves."

Terms Japan and U. S. Antagonists.
"It can hardly be said that the relations between the United States and Mexico have been friendly and trustful, but the world knows that antagonism exists between America and Japan. I maintain that these antagonisms are stronger than those which, despite the war, exist between Germany and Japan."

"When I thought of this alliance with Mexico and Japan, I allowed myself to be guided by the consideration that our brave troops already have to fight against a superior force of enemies and my duty is, as far as possible, to keep further enemies away from them. That Mexico and Japan suited that purpose, even Herr Hasse will not deny."

"Thus I considered it a patriotic duty to release those instructions and I hold to the standpoint that I acted rightly."

The reichstag continued the debate on the foreign office budget today.

FIND MRS. SMITH NOT GUILTY
Denver, Colo., March 30.—Mrs. Stella Newton Moore Smith, wealthy society woman, was found not guilty of murdering her husband.

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CONSTRUCTIVE GOVERNMENT.

The Russian council under the new government has already under way plans for constructing more than 20,000 miles of railroad during the next five years. It is action along such lines of permanent improvement and in a progressive social program that the new movement indicates that it is not of mushroom growth but represents a development that has come to stay.

ALMOST UNBELIEVABLE.

Two years ago the public would not have thought it possible that any human being could be found in this country so degraded that he would place ground glass in bandages prepared by the American Red Cross society in expectation of relief work. Yet that very thing is happening in Philadelphia, and naturally suspicion turns upon the agents of that foreign power most anxious at this time to humble America. No, two years ago this thing would not have been thought possible, but the war spirit brings changes beyond understanding.

THINK WHAT MAY HAPPEN TO MILWAUKEE.

Even in Wisconsin the proposition of referring the state with prohibition question to the people fared better than it did in Illinois, as it has passed one house of the legislature by a decisive vote. This has happened notwithstanding the fact that Milwaukee is one of the Wisconsin cities which would be affected by a favorable vote on the proposition. The governor of the state, who is said to be largely interested in a railroad deriving a great deal of traffic from the brewery interests, has declared that he will not veto the measure.

JEWISH PEOPLE STRONGLY PATRIOTIC.

Prominent New York citizens of Jewish origin have announced their intention of equipping a regiment or more of soldiers in case of war. The loyalty of the Jewish people to the U. S. has never been questioned and their interests at this time in the republican form of government has been intensified by the happenings in Russia, where the great blow for the freedom of the Jewish people has been struck. To say that such prominent and wealthy citizens as Samuel Utemeyer, Jacob Schiff, Nathan Straus and Oscar Straus are identified with the movement in New York is sufficient proof of its magnitude, for these men and their associates are among the most prominent and wealthy citizens of the east.

BANKS PLAN TO INCREASE DAIRY INTEREST.

Four Decatur banks are planning to organize a calf club for the ultimate purpose of encouraging dairying in Macon county. In accordance with the "Brighton" idea, where the first calf club movement was inaugurated by a banker, it is planned to send east for 100 head of grade Holstein heifers to be distributed among farm boys and girls who will give their personal notes for the purchases and then pay off the notes two or three months later, or when the stock is sold at public auction.

It's a plan that certainly should succeed in any community where farming and livestock interests predominate. Possibly the banks of Jacksonville may unite in some such effort.

THE VALUE OF IDEALS.

Secretary Daniels in his address to the graduating midshipmen at Annapolis urged them to pick a hero as a guide. "Get yourself a naval hero," said the secretary, "for emulation during the years of service ahead." And then he declared that it was by continually asking himself "What would Farragut do?" that led the late Admiral Dewey along the pathway to fame and honor.

There is much in the secretary's advice and it is applicable not only to midshipmen. The young American who picks a hero—and there are many of them even in private life—and then consistently seeks to measure up to the standard of that ideal, has gone a long way toward the making of his own success. We like individuality and expect each young man to do something on his own accord. But we can approve the course if he begins climbing up the ladder of success by first placing his feet upon the rungs that have been the stepping place of the great and good.

WORDS OF CHEER FOR THE AVERAGE MAN.

There is a good deal of consolation for the "average man" in an editorial appearing in the Chicago Record-Herald under the caption of "Brilliance or Hard Work." So few are the men who can be classed as brilliant that they will find inspiration in the honor this writer has paid to those who can qualify as faithful and earnest workers.

"Sir Frederick Treves, a noted British surgeon, said recently that hard work counts for more than brilliancy. If he had to submit to a major operation, he added, he would choose a careful, hard worker rather than a brilliant surgeon.

"These remarks have excited some controversy, but, after all, do they contain any real disparagement of brilliancy? Brilliancy, like ge-

nus, is an accident. It is born, not made. The world would be a dull, flat plane intellectually if it did not throw up brilliant people. Hard work would not have given us Shakespeares, Beethovens, Keats, Heines, Poes, Shelleys. But hard work is the staff of life. On it we can count, on it we can rely. Hard work collects data, assimilates them, verifies brilliant hypotheses, connects completes truths received in "flashes."

"When the brilliant man is also a hard worker he conquers the world. But the slow conquests of hard work by men of talent and ability are by no means negligible. We can train children to appreciate work and method, efficiency, order and industry. When they happen to be brilliant into the bargain, the reward of hard work will be correspondingly greater. We to them who expect brilliancy alone to give them the success that is worthy and enduring."

"THE STATE OF WAR."

At the near session of congress it is possible that President Wilson will apprise congress that a state of war exists between this country and Germany. In view of this home coming a bit of history dating back only two years has been brought to attention as of interest and of special application. It was August 5, 1914, that the following conversation took place between Mr. Bonar Law and Premier Asquith:

"May I ask the prime minister if he has any information he can give us today?"

The prime minister replied:

"Our ambassador at Berlin received his passports at 7 o'clock last evening, and since 11 o'clock last night a state of war has existed between Germany and ourselves."

A CHANCE TO "DO YOUR BIT."

Now that Company B has gone into active service that may last, no one knows how long, it might be well and timely to ask what Jacksonville is going to do for the families of the absent soldiers. Many of the men of Company B are married and others have parents old in years dependent upon them. Some steps should be taken to see that these families do not want for anything while the militiamen are serving their country.

Employers of these men will no doubt take the initiative in the matter. If all of the salary of the employee cannot be paid the employer may be able to pay a certain per cent of it.

It has also been suggested that a fund might be established. That a sum of ten cents per week be donated by wage workers and larger sums by others to this fund. The money thus secured could be distributed to the dependent relatives of the soldiers. To plan something of this kind is a matter of plain duty and patriotism on the part of those who have not volunteered for service.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

THE SPECTRE.

Last night when I had gone to rest, a ghost came to my side; it was the most astounding guest that ever man espied; it wouldn't go at my behest, but watched me, fiery-eyed. Before last night I used to scoff at ghostly things of dread; I laughed to scorn the timid toff who said he'd heard their tread, and told him where he might get off, and where to seek his head. But, oh, the horror of last night I shall not soon forget! Lay and gazed in mortal fright and oozed all kinds of sweat; that ghost, aglow with bluish light, was something fierce, you bet. How long 'twas there I do not know—it seemed to me ten years—and then my soul I felt the flow of grim and icy fears; at last I saw the phantom go, back to its misty spheres. Then I arose and said, "By heck, no more will I eat pie, no more consume of shrimps a peck, ere to my couch I lie; I'd surely be a mental wreck, if more such ghosts were nigh!"

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

March 31, 1847—Miss Dorothea L. Dix, the celebrated philanthropist, who contributed so much to the passage of the law establishing an insane asylum in Illinois, visited the jails in our state. Her mission of mercy was a noble one and nobly has she fulfilled it so far.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born this (Saturday) morning, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Douglas of 802 Spates street, a son.

CHILDREN DIE SUDDENLY

Morrison, Ill. March 30.—Leona and Frances Fadden, aged 3 and 9 years, respectively, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fadden, died suddenly this morning, due, it is believed, to streptococci sore throat. A third daughter and the mother are threatened. Both the children had been ill about two weeks but appeared to be recovering.

INDICT STATE SENATOR

Chicago, March 30.—Indictment of state senator Lawrence O'Brien, Chicago, on charge of election frauds in the 21st ward, was announced today at the State's Attorney's office. He is alleged to have bribed election officials.

WILL FILE MINORITY OPINION

Chicago, March 30.—Richard Yates, member of the state utilities commission announced today he would file a minority opinion on the five per cent freight rate increase asked by Illinois roads which was refused a majority by the commission. He said he believed the carriers and business men of the state should know why the commission ruled as it did.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Masters Entertain With Dance

Eighty-five guests spent an evening of especial pleasure Friday, when Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Masters and Miss Eleanor Masters entertained in a delightful dance at the Peacock Inn honoring Miss Anna Brown and Miss Esta Brown. Miss Rosalinda Payne and Miss Margaret Wells of Quincy, house guests of Miss Masters, were present. Refreshments were served in the blue room at 11 o'clock. Several favor dances, of novel conception, added to the evening's merriment.

Mrs. Hartmann Hostess

Mrs. Florence P. Hartmann, head of the vocal department of Illinois Woman's college, entertained last evening for Miss Helen Henry, her pupil. The guests were received in Mrs. Hartmann's studio rooms after the recital by Miss Henry and the event was noteworthy for a prevailing spirit of happy cordiality.

Honor Miss Crawley

Miss Annabel Crawley who is soon to wed, was guest of honor Thursday evening in a linen rush, given by a limited company of friends at the home of Miss Geneva Arthur, of West College avenue.

Murrayville Rebekahs Entertain Odd Fellows

Rebekahs of Murrayville entertained the Odd Fellows and their families Friday evening and after the rendition of a well planned program, enjoyed a social hour, with the serving of refreshments. The committee in charge was Mrs. Ladda Seymour, Mrs. R. D. Mawson and Miss Mildred Wright. Mrs. W. W. Walker, Mrs. J. W. Gunn, Mrs. Mawson, Mrs. S. E. Sooy and Miss Dorothy Tendick composed the refreshment committee. The committee on reception was Mrs. J. T. Ward, Mrs. Mary A. Gunn, Miss Pearl Story and Mrs. Bert Millard.

The program numbers follow:

Music by the orchestra.

Song, "America" by the company.

Invocation—The Rev. W. H. McGhee.

Address of Welcome—Mrs. Ladda Seymour.

Response on behalf of Odd Fellows—S. P. Sooy.

Selection by the orchestra.

Address, "Rebekah Odd Fellowship"—Mrs. Myrtle W. Tandy.

A comedy play, "The Sweet Family" in which the parts were taken by Miss Mildred Wright, Miss Lulu Conultas, Miss Grace Jennings, Miss Melinda McCarty, Mrs. C. R. Short, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Miss Dorothy Tendick, and Miss Jane Wright.

WILL CONSIDER CAR SHORTAGE COMPLAINTS

Chicago, March 30.—Representatives of Chicago railroads will meet here on Monday to consider complaints of a shortage of cars in Chicago.

Shippers charge that too many cars received from the east have been sent west of here leaving this city without a fair proportion of cars, despite a penalty under recent service rules of from \$5 to \$10 a day to any road for diverting cars belonging to another road.

STUDENTS PLEDGE THEIR SERVICES TO THE U. S.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Several hundred students of the colleges of medicine and dentistry and the school of pharmacy of the University of Illinois at a mass meeting here today pledged themselves to any services the government may ask of them. President Edmund J. James, of the University, told them that in the present national crisis each man is facing an individual problem which each must work out for himself.

TO SPEND MILLION FOR DEFENSE.

Montpelier, Vt. March 30.—The legislature today passed a bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for equipping the National Guard of the state and organizing the home defense.

Governor Graham announced he would sign the measure.

COMMISSION APPROVES INCREASE

Washington, March 30.—An increase of about 15 per cent in the freight rates for wheat in car lots from Chicago to Norfolk and Newport News suspended since October 16 last, was approved today by interstate commerce commission today.

FORM TRAINING ASSOCIATION

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 30.—Seven hundred students at the Carnegie Institute of Technology have organized a permanent military training association and plans were being made today to start drilling at once. It is proposed to mobilize one battalion without delay and organize another later.

DISCOVER BOMBS

Buenos Aires March 30.—A report received here says that on the voyage from New York to Rio Janeiro a bomb was found in the coal cargo of the steamer Tennyson.

According to the newspapers, eight bombs were discovered in the coal cargo of the Norwegian ship Oldenry during her trip from New York.

HELD UPON DEFAULT OF \$2,000 BONDS

Brookings, S. D., March 30.—Charles Schmidt, arrested yesterday by federal officers on a charge of having threatened the life of President Wilson was held in jail today upon default of \$2,000 bond, to await final hearing before United States Commissioner D. J. Conway, April 4.

BOMBARD RHEIMS.

Paris, March 30.—The City of Rheims, in the last few days has been the object of special attacks on the part of German artillery. On Wednesday, 401 shells were thrown into the city.

Comparative Statement

A Comparative Statement is made below, showing the large increase in Deposits of the Elliott State Bank during the past four years:

Deposits March 1st, 1914	\$701,739.89
Deposits March 1st, 1915	\$794,864.51
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DIAMONDS

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SPRINGFIELDIANS HOLD PATRIOTIC CONCERT

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 30.—Four thousand residents of Springfield crowded the state arsenal to-night and cheered while a band, giving a concert under the auspices of Company C, I. N. G., played national anthems. The Springfield unit had planned the concert to secure funds for extra equipment. They were called into service, however, before arrangements were completed and various Springfield organizations undertook the promotion of the affair.

Governor Lowden in a short talk thanked those present for supporting the company "so loyally." He left tonight for Chicago.

RECRUITING REGIMENT OF CRACK RIDERS

EL PASO, Texas, March 30.—Men who can ride, shoot and trail are being recruited here for a volunteer regiment which will offer its services to the government in the event of war with Germany. The regiment will be recruited in New Mexico, Arizona and Western Texas and the test of a recruit—will be to prove he can ride three days in the saddle without sleep.

GENERAL SEWARD SPEAKS.

Auburn, N. Y., March 30.—General William H. Seward of this city, son of President Lincoln's secretary of state, was the chief speaker at a mass meeting held here tonight to observe the eightieth anniversary of the signing of the treaty for the purchase of Alaska. The meeting developed into a demonstration of patriotism at which resolutions were adopted calling upon congress to declare a state of war exists with Germany and to provide for universal training.

MITCHELL RETAINS HUGHES.

New York, March 30.—Mayor Mitchell announced tonight that he had retained Charles E. Hughes as his personal counsel to represent him before the state senate at Albany next Tuesday. The mayor is to appear then to be questioned concerning alleged condemnatory statements he made about Senator Robert F. Wagner in connection with the Rockaway Point fortification site legislation.

EXPECT SIGNERS WILL TOTAL A MILLION

New York, March 30.—Mayor Mitchell's committee on national defense announced tonight that 620,000 persons already have signed the declaration of loyalty to President Wilson that has been circulated in this city and confidence was expressed that the number will reach 1,000,000 when final returns are received.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

G. W. McMahon to Ethel McMahon et al., lot 1 etc., block 23, Waverly, \$1,200.

F. P. Dawson to Gladys Cochran, lot 4 Watkinson's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Gladys Cochran to F. P. Dawson, lot 13 Edmon's second addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

F. P. Dawson to J. N. McCormick, same lot, \$1.

Elizabeth Nichols to Marcus C. Hook, lot 75 Carshops addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

300 NEW YORK EASTER PATTERN HATS ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE

A divorce suit has been filed by Carl E. Robinson as attorney for W. R. Vantine, who is seeking a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Millie Vantine. They were married, according to the bill, in Dodge City, Kans., in 1906, and lived together until 1914, when the complainant alleges that his wife deserted him.

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CITY AND COUNTY

R. H. Rawson of Peoria spent Friday in the city on business. B. A. Benson was transacting business in the city yesterday. Panamas, Leghorns, Milans and Lancers, new large shapes. The Carroll Millinery Parlors, 859 Rount street. R. E. Wyatt of Springfield was called to the city Friday on business.

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South Side Square

R. D. Wain of Sinclair was trading with local merchants yesterday. Mrs. Albert Kruse of Virginia was a visitor in the city yesterday. Joseph F. Seibert of Quincy was in the city Friday on business. Miss Pearl Goucher is spending several days out of the city. **Dressed chickens. Douglas.** Mrs. William Riley of Ashland was shopping in the city yesterday. Mrs. Elmer Katliff was a shopper in the city from Virginia yesterday. Samuel Latham of Ashland was a visitor in the city yesterday. A. C. Moffett of Waverly was a business visitor in the city Friday. Howard Henry of Woodson traveled to the city yesterday.

Schrag and Cully's Coffees
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Mrs. Lou Crouse of Murrayville was a city arrival yesterday. Mrs. Ella Crouse of Lowder was one of the city arrivals yesterday. J. W. Robinson of Ashland made a trip to the city yesterday. John H. Smith of Franklin was a city caller yesterday. I. W. Hill of Nokomis was added

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Proprietor

to the list of city callers yesterday. E. H. Ranson of Lynnville traveled to the city yesterday. John Becker of the vicinity of Antioch was a city arrival yesterday. Our low prices on high grade millinery will surprise you. The Carroll Millinery Parlors, 859 Rount street. J. M. Stewart of the west part of the county visited the city yesterday. Edward Rousey of Champaign called on city people yesterday.

Schrag and Cully's Coffees
Drink them! They're better!
E. H. Rickey of Lincoln is spending a few days in the city visiting with friends.

Misses Frances and Regina Riddler of Alexander were visitors in the city yesterday. Miss Margaret Miller has gone to Bedford, Ill. for a visit of two weeks with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Haywood were auto visitors here yesterday from Beardstown.

Lecture on Christian Science
Sunday, April 1, 3 p. m., I. O. O. F. Temple, East State St.

G. C. Bear of Decatur was called to the city to look after business matters yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Riley of Ashland is visiting at the home of Miss Jessie Harding, 213 East Greenwood ave. Miss Nellie Hall of Girard was among the shoppers in the city Friday.

Miss Eunice Holton of Griggsville was among the Friday shoppers in the city.

Andrew Johnson of the vicinity of Alexander was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. W. G. Russel and son Martin were among the arrivals in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Martha Washington Easter eggs. Douglas.

Mrs. John C. Andrus Jr. was up to the city from Manchester yesterday.

Clarence Phillips of Murrayville had business to see to in the city yesterday.

Special sale of street hats, \$2.50. The Carroll Millinery Parlors, 859 Rount street.

Rev. J. A. Curry of Waverly was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Kamle and daughter Lilly were in the city from Alexander yesterday.

You are invited to free lecture on Christian Science, Sunday, April 1, 3 p. m., I. O. O. F. Temple, East State St.

Miss Edith Neal was a representative of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

Miss Bessie Thompson of Bluffs was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. Chester Brockhouse of Chapin was among the city shoppers yesterday.

William Lewis and family arrived in the city from Buckhorn yesterday.

Dr. Elizabeth Waggoner has been called to Galesburg by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neson of Petersburg were city visitors yesterday.

See us when you want seed potatoes, bulk garden seeds and onion sets. Weber's grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley and son were city callers from Woodson yesterday.

F. H. Montgomery formerly of the Trade Palace and now of Springfield was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. Wainwright of Winchester was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Theodore Lukeman of the east part of the county visited the city yesterday.

Miss Annie Sawelle of the west part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

Hothouse cucumbers. Douglas.

Gage and Fisk hats. The Carroll Millinery Parlors, 859 Rount street.

E. D. Johnson and E. S. Travis were city visitors from Peoria yesterday.

Carl Massey of the southwest part of the county was a city visitor yesterday.

James Lewis of Prentice was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Try the new March, "Onward, Onward" Words and music by Mrs. Lulu Hillierby Hopper. For sale at J. P. Brown's Music store.

James Strube of Joy Prairie was among the city's business men yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Batts and daughter were over to the city from Arenzville yesterday.

Knobs will make it interesting if you need a spring suit.

John Anderson of Franklin was attracted to the city by business matters yesterday.

R. A. Scarlett of the southeast part of the county was a city arrival yesterday.

Mrs. Catharine Fargo and son Russell have returned to their home in Neelyville after a petulant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tomhave north of the city.

Miss Jessie Harding and mother are going to spend Sunday in Virginia. They will drive over in their Buick car.

The Epworth League of Hebron church will hold a box social Saturday evening, March 31, at the church.

Mrs. William Samples has returned home after spending several days with her mother Mrs. Coyle of Donlin avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conrady of Bluffs have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Tomhave north of the city.

Parents! First rehearsal New Boys' Band, 7 p. m., Monday, New Band rooms, over Ward's Bindery, W. Morgan. Please see that your boys are on time.

Mrs. George Hocking has returned from St. Louis where for the past

two months she has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Curtis, and of other relatives and friends.

Donald Joy went to Chicago yesterday to return with a new Mitchell car which he has recently sold to a Morgan county man.

Miss Emma Daniels came to Jacksonville last night from Winnetka to spend the Easter vacation with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Daniels of Grove street.

Mrs. Sarah Cocking has returned from Pike county, where she has been for a number of weeks taking care of her brother, W. T. Reynolds, who has been sick with measles. Mr. Reynolds is now very much improved.

Fresh bulk garden seed, seed tape, garden tools—everything for garden work, at Brady Bros.

ACCUSED OF UN-AMERICAN CONDUCT

Montpelier, Vt., March 30.—The charges of un-American conduct preferred by the alumni of the University of Vermont against Dr. Anton H. Applemann, professor of German language and literature at the university, are expected to be considered and acted upon by the university trustees at a special meeting here tomorrow. Professor Applemann was acquitted of the charges by four of the five members of a committee of alumni appointed to inquire into his conduct. A minority report asserted that his correspondence with a representative of the German Imperial navy at New York compromised his standing as an instructor at an American university.

Although he tendered his resignation soon after President Wilson announced the diplomatic break with Germany, and engaged passage on the steamship Frederik VIII, intending to return to Germany with ex-Ambassador Bernstorff, Professor Applemann continues to hold his chair at the university pending final action by the board of trustees.

GYMNASTS AFTER TITLES

Newark, N. J., March 30.—Gymnastic champions of America, and aspirants for the individual honors in the titular events to be held tomorrow night, when the National A. A. U. championships will be held in the gymnasium of the Newark Y. M. C. A., are anxiously awaiting the call for action which will determine the premier contestants in the events that will make up the evening's program. These will include horizontal bar, flying rings, side horse, rope climbing, parallel bars, Indian club swinging, tumbling and long horse.

TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Dan L. Clark of New Berlin have issued invitations for a celebration of their fifth wedding anniversary, the event to take place Wednesday, April 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark at New Berlin.

PLANS PROGRESSING FOR "BIRD DAY" OBSERVANCE

Fine Collection of Audubon Slides Shown to 250 Children at Woman's College—Boy Scouts to Aid in Celebration—Exhibit at Library

The Illinois College of Music, the Jacksonville camp of Boy Scouts, the public library and the manual training department of Jacksonville high school, not to mention several business firms and a number of individuals, are all lending their hearty co-operation in the celebration of "Bird Day" on the birthday of the famous naturalist, John Burroughs, April 3. The daughters of the American Revolution, who are leading in the movement, have made an announcement of a lecture by W. B. Olds, a well known authority on bird life, and a series of bird talks in the schools will add to the interest of the day.

Miss Anna G. Brown of the J. H. S. manual training department has taken much interest in the conduct of a "bird house contest," and Fred E. Barr of H. T. & H. W. Smith, has done much to make the contest a success. Under the supervision of Miss Brown a number of boys of grade school age have constructed bird houses in the high school manual training rooms and the knowledge of birds incidentally gained will be of untold value in enlisting the support of young people for the protection of bird life.

In one West College avenue block a neighborhood bird club was formed and the work of the boys, together with the remarkable craftsmanship of one girl in the building of bird houses, has formed the nucleus of a creditable exhibit on display at the public library. The library has done good work in furtherance of Bird Week plans. Bird books are on display and some nature study excursions, with bird talks, have been planned.

With boys and girls to the number of two hundred and fifty packed in the old chapel room at Illinois Woman's college and with an illustrated program of rare excellence, provided by the College of Music, the "Afternoon of Birds" Friday was a striking success. An excellent collection of stereopticon slides had been secured from the Audubon society of Illinois and these were explained by Miss Alexander of the department of biology. Miss Lazelle sang songs illustrating the harmony of bird music and she was accompanied by Miss Helen Robinson, instructor in the children's department. The bird entertainment was in large measure the plan of Miss Hollinger and it was upon the news of her illness that Miss Alexander took the matter in hand and gave the talk. The Audubon slides were shown Thursday to classes at the high school and Friday evening pupils of Illinois School for the Deaf had opportunity to see these fine

representations of American bird life.

CANADA HAS LARGE SURPLUS
Ottawa, Ont., March 30.—After paying off all current indebtedness, including interest on all war expenditures and all pensions, there will be \$50,000,000 left in the Dominion treasury at the close of the fiscal year tomorrow, to assist in paying off a portion of the capital expenditure incurred during the war. The year's revenues amount to \$230,000,000, which is \$50,000,000 more than last year and \$100,000 more than for the first year of the war.

CONFERENCE OF ROTARY CLUBS

Providence, R. I., March 30.—A conference of Rotary clubs of New England and Eastern Canada met here today under the auspices of the Rotary Club of Providence. The proceedings were opened this morning with an address by Mayor Gainer, which was followed by a general discussion of topics relating to rotary club work.

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Paris under the scourge of Catherine De Medici.

The thrilling race of train and automobile with death.

The humble Nazarene in the Holy Land.

The betrayal of Belshazzar and the mighty combats on Babylon's walls.

"Griffith as myriad minded and incomprehensibly great as Shakespeare." — Amy Leslie — Chicago Daily News.

"Exceeds any previous accomplishment of stage or screen." — Louis De Foe — New York World.

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NIGHT PRICES—First 6 rows, \$1.00; Balance Down Stairs, \$1.50; 1st 2 rows Balcony \$1.00; Balance Balcony, 75c; Gallery, 50c.

MATINEE PRICES—Any Seat Down Stairs, \$1.00; First 2 rows Balcony, 75c; Balance Balcony, 50c; Gallery, 25c.

HISTORY OF MEDICINE

The Morgan County Medical Society Will Be Fifty Years Old In May.

Anyone who has information about any of the early doctors of this county, or of any Medical Meetings or Societies prior to 1866, will confer a favor by sending it to Dr. Walter Frank, secretary of the Morgan County Medical Society, 200 Ayers Bank Building, and it will be edited for this column.

THE PRELIMINARY MEETING

It seems curious now that we find no record of the Medical organization here until fifty years had passed. In fact we have been told that a Medical Society did exist here prior to 1860 and was discontinued during the war but have been unable to find authentic record of it. One explanation may be that the faculty of the Illinois Medical School with its examining Board formed an early organization in Medicine which took the place of a Medical Society or at least displaced it. Even assuming that this was true for the period from 1840 to 1860, what was the profession during the intervening 15 or 20 years until 1877? One can hardly imagine the energetic

restless David Prince or the dignified and polished Henry Jones or the scholarly Hiram K. Jones not to say anything of a score of other splendid doctors of Morgan County living together in this community with no provision for professional intercourse. That would seem highly improbable and yet if an organization did exist all records of it seem to have disappeared. Perhaps some research worker may yet find the records. We have seen an item in a local paper stating that a district Medical Society was organized in Edwardsville on the second Monday of May, 1820 and that Dr. Samuel DeCamp was secretary. Perhaps some of our readers can give us information regarding this early society.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

British troops in France have occupied three more villages in the Somme region and in the Champagne, where intensive fighting has been in progress for several days the French have recaptured the positions taken by the Germans on March 28.

A German retirement on both sides of the Peronne-Fins road because of strong British pressure is announced by Berlin. Two of the villages captured by the British, Fins and Sorel-Le-Grand are on this road while the other, Ruyalcourt is three miles to the north and eight miles west of Bapaume. Field Marshal Haig's men, London says, after hard fighting also have gained ground west of Sorel-Le-Grand toward the railroad running south from Marceling. A German attack against the British positions south of Neuville-Bourjival is reported by London to have been checked with loss.

Canadian troops have been in action east of Neuville-St. Vaast. Berlin says four attacks by a Canadian force were repulsed with heavy loss while London claims the German lines were entered and prisoners taken after casualties were inflicted on the defenders. Neither Berlin nor Paris report any infantry activity between the Somme and the Oise. West of Massions de Champagne a French counter attack resulted in the Germans being forced to give up

the positions gained on Wednesday. There has been no important activity on any of the other battlefields.

ISSUE CALL FOR GENERAL CONFERENCE

Will Consider What Action May be Taken in Regard to Petition Filed Asking for Increased Freight Rates.

Chicago, March 30.—Representatives of fourteen national organizations of shippers met here today and issued a call for a general conference of commercial and manufacturing interests to be held in Chicago April 3 to consider what action may be deemed advisable in regard to the petition recently filed with the interstate commerce commission asking for an increase in freight rates.

The call for the conference reads in part as follows: "The railways of the United States are proposing an extraordinary general advance in freight rates, although their net revenues above all expenses last year were greater than ever before in their history. Under the provisions of the act to regulate commerce the burden of proof is upon the railroads to justify the advances, and the public is entitled to a full investigation by the interstate commerce commission. Therefore we hereby call a general conference of representative organizations of shippers throughout the country for the purpose of considering and determining what course of action should be taken on behalf of and for the protection of the shipping public in regard to these advances."

COMMISSION ISSUES NEW WAGE SCALE

SEWARD, Alaska, March 30.—After an examination into the cost of living as shown by the losses in the commissary department of the Alaska engineering commission on meals supplied at the rate of \$1 a day, the commission issued a new wage schedule today which, it is believed, establishes the highest wages ever paid regularly on construction work. The commission is directing the construction of the United States railway from Seward to interior Alaska. The new scale raises the wages of common labor from forty-two cents to fifty cents an hour. Rail layers hereafter will receive fifty-three and one-eighth cents an hour, blacksmiths, carpenters and machinists helpers sixty-three cents an hour, linemen and longshoremen seventy-eight cents, carpenters and steamfitters eighty. Brakemen will receive \$150 a month, conductors \$192, engineers \$204 and steam shovel men \$210. Machinists and carpenters, who have been receiving seventy-five cents an hour receive no raise.

PASS RESOLUTIONS OF APOLOGY

Des Moines, Iowa, March 30.—What is believed by parliamentarians here to be the only resolution of apology ever passed by an American legislative body was adopted by the Iowa state senate this afternoon. The apology was directed to W. F. Parrott of Waterloo, Ia., ejected from the senate chamber yesterday for alleged lobbying. It was found Parrott was merely taking a poll of senators on a favorite bill.

DISCOVER SUBSTITUTE FOR FLOUR

Berlin, March 30.—Via London—German chemists have discovered a method for making a flour substitute out of linden and beech buds. They claim that the substitute has the nutritive value of barley flour with four times its fat per centage.

WILL FAVOR ALIENS SEEKING CITIZENSHIP

State Department Announces Attitude if it Becomes Necessary to Put Restrictions on Foreigners

Washington, March 30.—Aliens seeking American citizenship will be given favored treatment if it becomes necessary to put restrictions on foreigners. The state department instructed that in such restrictions, declarations of intentions to become citizens will be given due consideration.

The government's attitude, although as yet not publicly expressed is understood to be that if the United States is forced into war with the central powers no move will be made towards internment of their nationals within the United States even army and navy reservists as long as the foreigners observe the country's laws. Property rights, too, will be respected.

Applications for citizenship from Germans have poured into Washington since relations were broken with Germany. More than 100,000 had come in within the last year but for the last two months all records have been broken. From one town in Indiana, 70 were received in February it was said at the labor department today.

The census bureau estimates that there are in the United States now about 150,000 German citizens. In 1915 there were in this country 8,282,618 persons of German stock, of whom 2,501,181 were born in Germany. There were 3,911,847 born in America of German parents and the remainder were born in the United States of parents one German and one American. Of the 2,501,181 persons born in Germany, 1,278,667 were males, 21 years and older. Of these 889,097 were reported as naturalized and facts as to the remainder were not ascertained.

APPEALS TO POLES TO ACCEPT OFFER

LONDON, March 30.—The proclamation of the Russian government to all Poles announcing that Poland can decide its own form of government for itself, after fraternal congratulations on the overthrow of the Romanoff dynasty says a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd, refers to the attempt by the central powers to enlist the Poles against the entente by offering "illusory political rights." After announcing it will lie with the constituent assembly of Russia to give its consent to the modifications of Russian territories, indispensable to the formation of a free Poland, the document concludes by appealing to the Poles to accept the offer in the spirit of free brotherhood and to prepare to enter in a new and brilliant era of Polish history.

PLAN TO PLACE ORDERS FOR PASSENGER SHIPS

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—The Cunard Steamship company is planning to place orders in the United States for 114 passenger steamers at a cost of \$120,000,000, according to an announcement by agents of the company here today. The announcement was made at a meeting of representatives of many of the largest shipbuilding concerns in the country who were called here by the Cunard company to discuss the probability of their being able to fill the orders. The new ships, it was said, will range in size from 8,000 to 17,000 tons.

MUST NOT FAULT IN MANIFESTATION OF LOYALTY

Memphis, March 30.—Refusal of a public school teacher here to have her pupils sing the national anthem resulted today in an announcement by the board of education that hereafter any teacher who falters in manifestations of loyalty to the United States will be asked to resign.

DENVER TO SUPPLY REGIMENT OF RANGERS

Denver, Colo., March 30.—Denver is to supply the United States war department with a regiment of Rocky Mountain rangers. Nearly 1,000 men are members of the regiment and it is expected the enlisted strength will reach 100 more in a few days.

SECURES NEGROES AS STRIKE BREAKERS

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 30.—The Chicago & Alton railroad secured 200 negroes today, to take the place of striking section men on the southern and western divisions. Railroad officials claim every man who quit between Bloomington and Chicago has returned to work and all punning stations have been manned. The representatives of strikers claim to be well pleased with the situation and are confident the company cannot get men to take the places made vacant by the strike.

CONDITION NOT AS BAD AS SUPPOSED

Lincoln, Neb., March 30.—Agricultural experts and farmers who have been making examination of the drought damaged winter wheat in the southern half of Nebraska, tonight reported "conditions are not as bad as supposed and with a heavy rain a half to two-thirds of a crop is probable."

CHALMERS PLANT IN CANADA BURNS

Detroit, Mich., March 30.—The plant of the Chalmers Motor Co., Ltd., of Canada, located at Ford City, Ontario, across the river from here was completely destroyed by fire of undetermined origin late tonight. The loss is placed by insurance adjusters at approximately \$250,000.

GRANT MINERS INCREASE

Columbus, O., March 30.—A ten per cent increase in wages will be paid miners in the Tuscarawas district beginning next Monday it was announced tonight following a meeting of operators here. Whether other districts of Ohio will grant the ten per cent wage bonus depends upon the outcome of a joint conference of miners and operators of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Western Pennsylvania at Indianapolis, April 5.

VILLA ATTACK ON CHIHUAHUA FAILS

Bandit Leader Loses 500 Prisoners and 350 Killed and Wounded and Much Equipment

Chihuahua City, Mex., March 30.—Francisco Villa at the head of a cavalry force of 2,500 men made a determined attempt today to capture Chihuahua City but was driven back with the loss of 500 prisoners and 350 in killed and wounded.

The attack, which had been expected by the garrison force, was launched at 5:30 o'clock this morning in the direction of Quinta Carolina, north of the city and spread rapidly to the Santa Nino railway station, the store houses of the Pierce Oil company and the abandoned city cemetery.

The battery on Santa Rosa Hill the key to the city which Villa took by a rush in his successful attack last November opened fire on the attackers, aided by a cleverly placed battery at the central railway station. General Hernandez by executing a flank movement broke up one end of the Villa line and took 200 prisoners. Col. Mora, entrenched in the old cemetery, repulsed three charges by the enemy troops. The Villa prisoners taken there raised the total to 500. Besides this over 200 saddle horses, three machine guns and a quantity of arms were captured.

FAILS TO DECIDE ON DEFINITE COURSE

Republican Congressional Organization Committee Holds Long Meeting—Name Sub Committee to Submit Proposal to Democrats.

Washington, March 30.—The Republican congressional organization committee had a long meeting today but failed to decide upon any definite course to be recommended to its party conference. Only action taken was the appointment of a sub-committee to propose to Democratic leaders an agreement to pair for the speakership fight, all absentees on account of sickness. Neither side has any definite information as to how many of its members may be absent Monday, but there probably will be one or two of each. A pairing agreement would make the big parties even in any event and virtually place the selection in the hands of the five independents.

Representative Capstick of New Jersey, reported seriously ill notified Republican leaders today he would be present when the house convened. Neither were the Republican leaders advised tonight as to whether Representative Bleakley of Pennsylvania who was indicted today for violating election laws would be here Monday. Informally it was said, that if he did come there would be nothing to prevent him from participating in the organization of the house. He holds his certificate of election and any action which may follow his failure to make a defense against the indictment against him must come after the house is organized.

DOUKHOBORS MAY RETURN TO RUSSIA

LONDON, March 30.—The Russian provisional government, says a Reuter despatch from Petrograd, is disposed sympathetically toward the Doukhobors by the 19,000 Doukhobors in Canada to return to Russia. The question of their liability to military service will be determined by the judicial committee of the provisional government.

The Doukhobors, a community of non-conformists Russian peasants, who now call themselves Christians of the Universal Brotherhood, were first heard of in the middle of the eighteenth century. The foundation of their teaching consists in the belief that the spirit of God is present in the soul of man and directs him by inward wisdom. They resemble closely the Quakers and for their beliefs endured much persecution.

Through the efforts of Count Leo Tolstoy and the society of Friends in England the Doukhobors were permitted to leave Russia in 1898 and in the following year 7,500 Doukhobors immigrants settled in Western Canada where they have remained since.

PREPARE FOR RETURN OF EXILE

Washington, March 30.—Great preparations for the return from exile in Siberia of Madame Brezhnevskaya, "Mother of revolutions," were reported today by Ambassador Francis to be in progress at Petrograd. The venerable agitator will return to the capital shortly. The ambassador said conditions generally were very good.

HOBSON SPEAKS IN CHICAGO

Chicago, March 30.—Richmond P. Hobson was the principal speaker tonight at a dinner of the Chicago dry federation at which two hundred persons pledged themselves to support the campaign for a dry Chicago and to attempt to get five others who would be active in pushing the campaign.

WHITLOCK SOON TO LEAVE FOR SWITZERLAND

London, March 30.—Brand Whitlock, the American minister to Belgium and the members of the American commission will shortly leave Brussels on a special train for Switzerland, according to Reuters Amsterdam correspondent who quoted Berlin advices as his authority.

PLEDGE SERVICES TO NATION. Janesville, Wis., March 30.—At a loyalty mass meeting here tonight residents of Janesville pledged themselves to the service of the national government in case of need.

BEACH GOES TO ROCKFORD

Arkadelphia, Ark., March 30.—Manager Counsel of the Kansas City American association club announced tonight he had released Pitcher H. K. Beach, to the Rockford Club of the Three I League.

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BEGINS PREPARING SPEECH TO CONGRESS

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have before them many questions concerning the strengthening of the defenses of the nation. Among these questions are:

The early graduation of the early class at West Point, the putting of coast and geodetic survey with its fleet of vessels under the navy department, transfer of supervision over privately owned wireless plants from the commerce to the navy department, collection of large number of privately owned boats suitable for submarine chasers, and purchase of supplies of all kinds for the army and navy.

Call Out More Guardsmen. Additional national guard units were called out today to participate in the work of protecting private property in the United States. There is understood to be a strong probability that there will be several important shifts of officers, both in the army and navy soon.

Since the severance of relations with Germany everything possible has been done toward getting Americans out of that country. With the last four consuls safe on Swiss soil today very few Americans remain under German control except the forty seven Belgian relief workers who still have two weeks' "news agreement."

Baritone player wanted for new Boys' Band. Apply to Prof. Goodrick, over Gilbert's at once.

MAY NOT SACRIFICE BEST ENGINEERS

Washington, March 30.—So the United States may not run the risk of sacrificing large numbers of its best engineers, chemists and other scientists on the firing line, as the European belligerents have done, before realizing their value behind the army, the bureau of mines is conducting a census of technical experts at the request of the council of National Defense.

Twenty five thousand letters are being sent out to all kinds of mining corporations to develop the qualifications and nationality of their technical employees, and the American institute of mining engineers and the American chemical society are co-operating with the government.

LOWDEN HAS POWER OF APPOINTING OFFICERS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 30.—Power of appointing officers of the national guard now rests solely with the governor. Adjutant General Dickson was notified by the war department today.

It was understood however, that the governor, so far as possible, will accept the wishes of individual companies in approving their elections of commanders.

Further distribution for guard duty of some of the militia companies ordered out was made today, small details being sent to places "somewhere" in Illinois.

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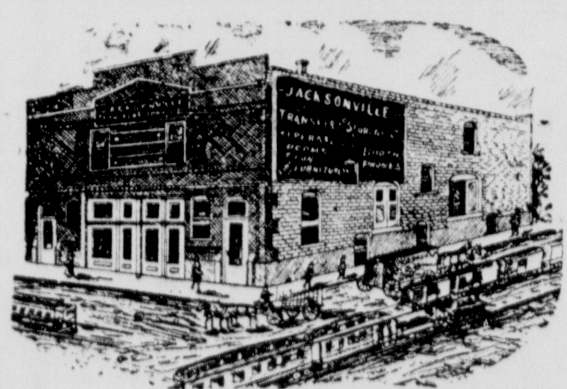
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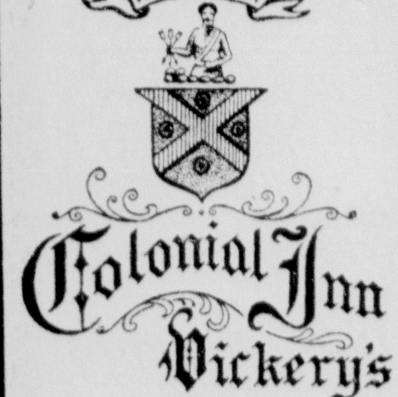
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These tablets are small, easy to take and are really wonderful little performers.

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They are mild. They never gripe. And they are a bowel tonic as well as a cleanser and liver regulator. A 10c box should last one several weeks. A Physician's trial package (4 doses) will be mailed you free if you write mentioning this advertisement. The Santal Remedies Co., 802 Madison Ave., Covington, Ky.

DENTISTS FORWARD WITH PATRIOTIC PLAN

Twenty Thousand Members of the Profession Enrolled in Preparedness League—Will Assist in Remedying Defective Teeth of Recruits

Huntington, Ind., March 30.—Twenty thousand American dentists have been enrolled in the Preparedness League of American dentists in readiness to assist the United States government by remedying defective teeth of recruits. In addition, sectional units have been organized for the study of modern surgical methods in treating gunshot wounds of the face and mouth, which with the advent of trench fighting has become an important part in war surgery.

In addition thru the National Dental association of which Dr. O. U. King, of Huntington, is secretary, the war department has been offered the services of dentists to fill the officers reserve corps of the dental section with capable and efficient men.

The work of the dental association was begun when the movement of state troops to the border was ordered last year, Dr. King explains. More than 2,000 applicants for enlistment were in danger of being refused entrance into the fighting force of the nation because of defective teeth, he said, but these men were given dental service by members of the association and thereby enabled to take their places in their ranks.

What was then done on a small scale the league is preparing to take up on a greater scale when the issuance of a call for volunteers or enlistment on a war basis of the present army and navy volunteer state forces.

Reviewing the work of the dentists Dr. King said today:

"In the present grave crisis of the nation the dental profession is in a position to give the government a service not to be exceeded by any other profession. We accept the opportunity and are prepared to prove our value and sincerity as public service agents."

"The dental profession of the country was organized a year ago thru the National Dental association into an organization known as the Preparedness League of American Dentists which now has a membership of more than twenty thousand dentists, and we expect to throw our whole energy into the work of assisting the government by making worthy applicants for enlistment who cannot pay for dental service, dentally equipped to pass the requirements of the war department."

"As an earnest of our intentions we have already prepared the mouths of fully 2,000 applicants for enlistment. Men who were rejected because of oral conditions. Many of these men have served their country on the Mexican border or are members of the national guard."

"Sectional Units are being formed for the study of the surgery of gunshot wounds about the jaws and face, as well as other injuries incident to war, which must be treated by the dentist. These local units are also designated as headquarters, where local applicants for enlistment may apply for dental services, and thus be referred to members of the league, who gives their services gratuitously."

"The modern trench warfare has resulted in an unusual number of wounds about the head, especially the mouth and jaws. Thus in these special localized schools of study particular attention is given to courses in war dental surgery. American Dental Surgeons and others returning to or coming from the war zone, are assisting in the work of the units by reports of the oral surgical work done in the various ambulance hospitals of Europe. Two of the most noted dental surgeons, now on the battlefields in France, have consented to come to America and appear on the program of the

National Dental Association in New York City, October, 1917.

"The underlying idea of the unit scheme of the League is to secure in a nucleus of the trained dental specialist, who will assist in the instructions of the members of the unit along the lines of war dental surgery, as a measure of preparedness against war and to cooperate in treatment of wounds of the jaws and face, in case of actual warfare."

"Wherever Red Cross base hospitals are being formed, we are, as fast as possible organizing dental units in connection therewith and cooperation is established between the organizations."

"The League, at the suggestion of the War Department, has undertaken a canvass of the entire dental profession, and secured a complete and accurate list of all the oral surgeons in the United States."

"The ambition of the Preparedness League of American Dentists is to give our government the largest, most efficient and most representative Officers' Reserve Corps, Dental Section, of any Nation in the world."

SALUTE OF FARMER ADDS TO AERONAUTIC PERILS

Instructor in Ballooning Seeks Publicity of Fact That Firing at Balloon is Crime—Warning Circulars to be Placarded

Omaha, Neb., March 30.—Add to the perils of aeronautics the friendly salute of the farmer who fires his shotgun or rifle at the airman as they fly by. Pilot Leo Stevens, who is instructing army officers at Fort Omaha in ballooning, has encountered this danger on his last four flights and he now seeks the widest publicity of the fact that it is a crime, punishable by imprisonment from ten to twenty years, for anyone to fire at a passing balloon.

Until his last flight Stevens had believed that the shots which whizzed by him were merely badly aimed salutes but several days ago upon landing near Moberly, Mo., he met a farmer who informed him it was fortunate for him he drifted below a hill when he did. The farmer admitted he and his son were out with their guns to pot the strange air vehicle. Since then Stevens has discovered that others have gone gunning for his balloon, not with hostile intent but merely to see if they could hit it.

Stevens has made application to the war department for warning circulars which will be placarded within the radius of the possible flights. Owing to the uncertainty of the wind it is impossible to send out advance information as to the direction of the flight.

WELL IDENTIFIED
When Richard Harding Davis was detained by the Germans, charged with being an English spy, he had difficulty in proving his American citizenship. After presenting his various official credentials, he displayed his Knox Hat and was permitted to pass on. Truly, there is a Knox Hat for every occasion.

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A REMARKABLE RECORD
Daniel McLaughlin was born in Hampshire county, Virginia, and lived to be 98 years and one day old. He married Elizabeth Utt who was born in Pennsylvania in October, 1799. The wedding took place May 1, 1817 in Scioto county, Ohio. They moved to Scott county, this state, in 1829 where they spent the rest of their lives. Mr. McLaughlin, often used to amuse his little grandson, now the grey haired old of this city, with stories of the deep snow when deer were caught and killed before they could get away.

The old people came near being able to celebrate their diamond wedding having lived together 71 years before death separated them.

Two alto players wanted at once for New Boys' Band. See Prof. Goodrick, at once. Office over Gilbert's.

J. S. Henry of East St. Louis was visiting friends in the city Friday.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.
State of Illinois, ss

Morgan County
In the Circuit Court of Morgan County, May Term, A. D. 1917.
Bertha Sample, Complainant,

vs.
Charles N. Sample, Defendant.

Bill for Divorce.
Affidavit of the non-residence and of the unknown residence of Charles N. Sample, the above named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the said Circuit Court of Morgan County, notice is hereby given to the said Charles N. Sample that the said complainant filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1916, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1917 next, as is by law required.

Now unless you the said Charles N. Sample shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Morgan County on the first day of the next Term thereof, to be held in Jacksonville in said County on the said 14th day of May, A. D. 1917, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and alleged will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

C. W. Boston, Circuit Clerk.
Wm. E. Thomson,
Complainant's Solicitor.

AGED WHITE HALL RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Martha Carr, 87 Years Old, Passes Away at Noon Friday—Native of Kentucky—Charles Sykes Called by Death.

White Hall, Ill., March 30.—Mrs. Martha Carr, widow of John Carr, died at 12:40 a. m. Friday at her home on East Sherman street, aged 87 years, 9 months, 27 days. A fall in her home almost two weeks before her death resulted in the dislocation of her left hip and a sprained wrist. The injuries caused great suffering, and from that time her decline was rapid, her advanced age and enfeebled condition precluded any hope of recovery.

Deceased was a native of Kentucky, born in Auburn, that state, June 8, 1829, her maiden name being Martha Dreon. She was a member of a family of seven children, of whom the only survivor is a sister, Mrs. Susan Whitlow, of Auburn, Ky., who is 78 years of age.

In 1852 she and John Carr were married at Auburn, Ky., and in 1855 moved to Chillicothe, Mo., where Mr. Carr acquired considerable land and became quite an extensive tobacco operator and grower, but the border warfare at the outbreak of the civil war caused him to abandon these interests, and he and his family came to White Hall near the close of the war. Mr. Carr built and for a time resided in the structure known as the Dewell orphan's home. During the prevalence of cholera that overtook White Hall in the summer of 1875 Mr. Carr was a victim, his death occurring in July of that year, leaving the widow with the care of their seven children, to whom she devoted her best efforts and motherly care in rearing to maturity. Sixteen years following the death of the father occurred the death of a son, Charles, who at that time was seventeen years of age. Joseph, the only surviving son, is a resident of St. Louis. The daughters were Mrs. Anna King, deceased; Mrs. Wm. Dawson, deceased; Mrs. Susie B. Evans, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. S. K. Smith, New Brighton, Pa., and Miss Mary, with whom the mother made her home.

Mrs. Carr retained memory of harrowing and startling experiences during the rebellion and in her reminiscent moods conveyed most interesting and valuable information of the days when the union of states was in the balance. She was a woman of vigorous constitution and a hard worker, and to the end retained the hospitality and chivalry so characteristic of southern people. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. John A. Simpson, pastor of the First Baptist church, at 2 p. m. Sunday at the home. The singing will be by the Duncan sisters. The burial will be in the White Hall cemetery.

Sykes
Charles Sykes, a citizen of White Hall, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ernest Stansbury in Granite City, Thursday night. The deceased had been ill with blood poisoning for a week and this ailment resulted in his death. Mr. Sykes was born in White Hall in 1870 and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sykes. He was married to Miss Willie Page of White Hall and she with three children survive. The children are Mrs. Thomas Wyatt of White Hall, Mrs. Birdie Lee of Granite City and Lee at home. It was while engaged in unloading lumber from a car that Mr. Sykes received the injury to his hand which brought on blood poisoning.

INTERESTING NEWS FROM CASS COUNTY

Virginia, March 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fox of Garner Chapel neighborhood were called to Omaha, Neb., by the death of Miss Mildred Englund, a sister of Mrs. Fox.

Dr. J. P. Snyder, who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved. Mrs. George Cunningham received a telegram today informing her of the death of her brother, Mr. James McKenzie of Los Angeles, Calif., which occurred March 29th.

Leslie Martin, a former Virginia boy was married March 14th, to Miss Gladys Woods of Salisbury, Mo. They will reside in Springfield, Mo., where Mr. Martin is employed.

Robert Gomes of Beardstown was adjudged insane in Judge Martin's court Wednesday and was ordered committed to the State Hospital at Jacksonville.

Mrs. G. C. Lenington of Jacksonville was the guest of friends in this city this week.

Mrs. Jack McCarty and daughter of Alton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Hall.

Mrs. Ed Munson and sons of Richmond will spend the week end with Miss Josephine Sallee.

Marriage licenses of the past week are as follows: Oscar Hulett and Goldie Werscheid, Beardstown; Logan Evans, Wenthester, and Effie Richards, Jacksonville; Leslie Lancaster and Oealva Steele, Chandler; Elmer Moore and Mildred Garvey, Beardstown.

Mrs. Melvina Dyer, wife of Marcus Dyer died Wednesday, March 28, at the family home in this city, after a period of illness, extending over two years. Mrs. Dyer was born in Bracken County, Kentucky, Jan. 19, 1884, and was united in marriage to Marcus Dyer, April 1st, 1905. Three children were born to this union, namely: Norman E., Florence L., and Aileen, who with the father survive, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fronk, and two sisters, Mrs. Walker Malotte of this city and Mrs. Ed Williams of Beardstown.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Friday at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. F. Juvinall, interment in Wanat Ridge cemetery.

Miss Grace Shaffer, of Philadelphia, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Curtis McNeely several days this week.

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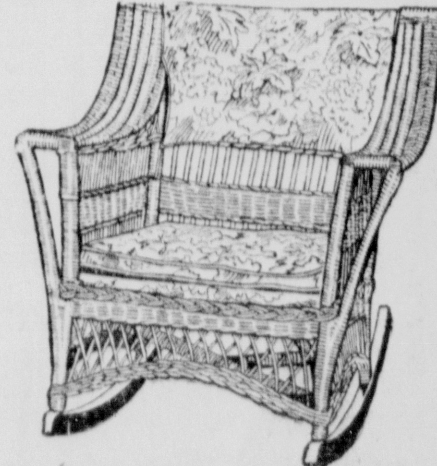
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ALASKA HAS FIFTY YEARS OF HISTORY

Pres. Johnson Made Known Proposed Treaty With Russia and Acquisition of Alaska Just Half Century Since

Washington, D. C., March 30.—Fifty years ago today, while a violent political storm was enveloping his administration, President Andrew Johnson made known in a message to Congress the astonishing fact that a treaty had been negotiated with Russia under the terms of which all that nation's possessions in North America might be acquired by the United States. The only formality necessary to the consummation of the convention was ratified by the senate.

When the announcement was made the message was received in ordinary form, but soon knots of senators were gathered on the floor discussing this latest departure from the ordinary on the part of an executive who, during his entire incumbency, had kept his friends as well as his foes guessing.

The United States, it was held by critics of the administration, already owned more land than it knew what to do with. Vast territories beyond the Missouri were undeveloped, almost unexplored. Some of them were practically inaccessible, money was even then being lavishly spent upon the construction of a railroad across the continent, an enterprise which, it was thought, would be likely always to be a drain upon the treasury, in the hope of bringing the eastern into regular contact with the far-distant western portion of the republic.

By the civil war, was exacting heavy taxes from the people; the lines were dull, and with it all came this "foolish" proposal to pay the enormous sum of \$7,200,000 for an uninhabited and, as it was termed, probably uninhabitable area at the end of the earth, which Russia would not doubt gladly have parted with for nothing. So ran the arguments of the pessimists.

After holding the land, discovered by Bering in 1741, for over a hundred years, in the mean time granting various concessions to trading companies and building blackhouses and forts along the coast and in the interior, Russia began to lose interest in the possession. There was no Siberian railway in the middle of the last century, access to the North Pacific was difficult, transportation was costly, and as early as the Pierce administration, in 1854, the then Russian minister at Washington proposed, although conditionally, to sell the territory.

After the transfer of the peninsula to the United States, Alaska was organized as a noncontiguous possession. It was made a civil and judicial district in 1901 and was organized as a territory in 1912. Its present capital is Juneau, where this month its legislature has assembled for the third biennial session.

The Alaska purchase treaty has often been referred to as one of the most remarkable for businesslike directness. It is less complicated than many business contracts of today. It is said to stand alone in the history of diplomacy as an important convention conceived, initiated, prosecuted and completed without being preceded or attended by protocols or despatches.

DENY CITIZENSHIP.
Chicago, March 29.—Following a decision by Federal Judge K. M. Laddis that saloonkeepers who have disobeyed the Sunday closing law are not law-abiding individuals and consequently do not come within the law admitting aliens who have qualified to citizenship, 250 alien saloonkeepers here will be denied citizenship, it was announced today by federal naturalization officials. The men in each case had disregarded the Sunday closing law.

PUPILS TO ASSEMBLE IN PATRIOTIC MEETINGS.
Chicago, March 29.—Four hundred thousand pupils in Chicago schools will assemble in patriotic meetings at the various school buildings next Monday at the hour set for the convening of congress. The pupils will be addressed by the principals of the 500 schools as directed in an order issued today by John D. Schoop at the suggestion of Jacob M. Loeb, president of the board of education.

E. J. Carr of Hannibal, Mo., was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

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dentially and tentatively, the sale of the great peninsula.

William H. Seward is believed to have had an inkling of the willingness of the czar to part with Russian America long before he was able, as secretary of state under President Johnson, to negotiate the treaty. In some of his speeches previous to 1890, there are numerous references to the expansion of the United States, in the northwest of the continent.

Very little was heard of Alaska, after interest in its purchase subsided, until the gold discoveries in the Klondike on Aug. 16, 1896, or for nearly a generation after the signing of the treaty of purchase. Then there was a wild rush of prospectors, miners and adventurers into the new country. Villages, towns and cities spring up over night and within two years the Klondike region alone yielded more than \$10,000,000 in yellow metal. It is estimated that, to date, the mineral production of Alaska aggregates about \$50,000,000, but mine production constitutes but a single item in the Alaskan industrial account of the present day. A statement of the commerce of the territory for one year shows miscellaneous shipments from the peninsula to the United States of a total value of more than \$27,000,000. This is exclusive of shipments of gold and silver worth upwards of \$20,000,000. The value of the salmon product alone for a single year is almost equal to three times the price paid for the country.

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NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following books will be ready for circulation Saturday morning, March 31, 1917.

European War as Affecting America.—Howe—Universal Military Education. Written by a doctor, Argues for universal military training and service for the United States, telling of its advantages to the nation and individual. Cites the Swiss and Australian systems and shows how they may be applied in this country.

Royce—The Dope of the Great Community. A collection of essays written during the later years of Professor Royce's life. His topics include "The attitude of Americans in the Present War," "The destruction of the Lusitania," "The first anniversary of the sinking of the Lusitania," "The possibility of international insurance," and the title essay. R. of R. Prof. Royce tells us that much of the machinery of such a community is already with us. Instead of being merely Utopian as it once was, it now has become an object of reasonable hope.

Literature.
Gibson—Borderlands and Thoroghares. "Few folks like the wind's song, and fewer folk like mine. Folk who trudge the road, never stray, who keep the track and never stray, who think the sun's for making hay. Folk who cannot dance or play, Faithless folk and fine. Yet the wind and I are gay. In our ragmuffin way, Singing, storm or shine."

Tarkington—Beauty and the Jacobin. A one act play of the French Revolution.

West—Henry James. Gives more attention to criticism than to biography. "Some of these criticisms are interesting even when they are not just and some are sound as well as interesting."—New Statesman.

Practical Books.
Gill—Practical Basketry.
Hill—Fighting a Fire. This is a new and revised edition and every page of it has been brought up to date.

Kinne—Clothing and Health.
Bloomfield—Youth School and Vocation.
Ross—Social Psychology.
For Reference.
Macdonald—Documentary Source Book of American History, 1606-1913.
World Almanac, 1917.
Rent Fiction.
Moffat—Go Forth and Find.

BLUFFS
Rev. and Mrs. J. Phil Rinehart and daughter Miss Suzanne were Riggsdon visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bush moved their household goods this week to their new home in Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore attended a party given by Mrs. Ed Sarsfield at her home in Springfield Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nash have returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where they have been visiting for the past four weeks.

Charles Vancundy of Springfield was a business caller in town Wednesday.

John Coufax of Winchester was a business visitor in town Thursday.

The ladies of the Bluffs Household Science Club will entertain a two course luncheon and passed a very pleasant evening in a social way.

Mrs. Art Boulware was a business caller in Hannibal Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Perry of Barry visited friends here Wednesday.

H. A. Goodrick was called from Springfield yesterday on business.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Red Sox, 10; Brooklyn, 4.
Oklahoma City, Okla., March 30.

Boston A. 10 13 1
Brooklyn N. 4 4 2
Braves 3; Yankees, 1.
Moultrie, Ga., March 30.—
Boston N. 3 9 0
New York A. 1 5 2
Reds, 5; Senators, 14.
Louisville, Ky., March 30.—
Washington A. 4 9 4
Cincinnati N. 5 8 3
Tigers, 4; Giants, 1.
Port Worth, Texas, March 30.—
Detroit A. 4 7 1
New York N. 1 6 6

White Horse, 4; Houston, 0.
Houston, Texas, March 30.—The Chicago Americans defeated the Houston Texas League team today, 4 to 0.

Score:
Chicago 4 7 0
Houston 0 3 4
Cicotte, Faber and Schaik, Lynn; Moore and Noyes.

TO FINANCE CHALLENGER FOR MISS MINNEAPOLIS

PEORIA, Ill., March 30.—A syndicate was formed here this afternoon to finance a challenger for Miss Minneapolis to race in July in the Twin Cities for the Gold Cup and the Webb trophy. The challenger will be a mile-a-minute boat to be known as Miss Peoria. The syndicate is headed by Commodore Travis of the Illinois Valley Yacht Club and Tom Webb, former commodore. The Western Power Boat association was reorganized and purses arranged for a regatta to be held under its auspices in this city following the Minneapolis meeting. The following officers were elected: President, James A. Pugh of Chicago; Frederick H. Smith, vice president; Walter B. Wilde, secretary and Rollen Travis, secretary.

PAST YEAR A RECORD ONE FOR STRIKES

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Scarcity of labor and high food prices made 1916 a record year for strikes in the United States. Statistics compiled today by the department of labor show there were 3,108 walk-outs of all kinds during the year. Demands for higher wages caused two thirds of the strikes. Most of the others were due to differences concerning the unionization of labor.

More than 700 of the strikes the strikers won and employers were victorious in nearly 500. Others were compromised.

STAY CONSTITUTIONAL GUARANTEES IN SPAIN

PARIS, March 29.—While a Havas despatch from Madrid announces the publication of a decree suspending the constitutional guarantees through Spain, it gives no reason for this act. The Temps, however, reports that conferences have been going on at the "house of the people" in Madrid between delegations of trade unions who were organizing a general strike. The newspaper adds that on account of the economic crisis in Spain the government has taken a firm, yet conciliatory attitude. It has instructed the governments of the provinces to report immediately to meet the situation of the unemployed, classifying them according to trades.

VOTE TO ESTABLISH TRAINING COURSE

Amherst, Mass., March 29.—The Amherst College faculty today voted to establish a course in military training at the end of the present spring recess and to apply to the war department for a government instructor.

FROM THE EDUCATOR'S NOTEBOOK

Professor Edward Carroll Moore of the Department of Education of Harvard University has accepted the appointment of president of the Los Angeles Normal School, which has an enrollment of 1900 students and is to be developed during the coming year into a teachers' college.

One day in the year, the students of Clark College, Worcester, Mass., by unanimous action cut all classes, and, in view of the hard and faithful teaching of the professors throughout the winter grant them a holiday. A vigilance committee is appointed to punish all students caught studying and otherwise detracting from the atmosphere of repose which is the order of the day. The holiday this year fell on March 17.

Dr. Marion LeRoy Burton, the president of the University of Minnesota, believes that the question of Latin and Greek is one to be solved by natural aptitudes of the student himself, the "bent for languages," or the "bent for science" which so strongly marks individual minds. President Burton says that Greek and Latin are excellent for some but that his own boy of 11 will never take them, because he would never do him any good. He will take some engineering branch because that is what nature fitted him for.

The third largest educational organization in existence, the International Kindergarten Union, will hold its twenty-fourth annual convention in Boston July 7-11. The union counts 3,000 members, and if the father of the first kindergarten could be present in Boston kindergarten week, he would be overwhelmed. It is fair to assume, by the great practical development which his original idea has had, that the kindergarten has gradually acquired a tremendous hold upon the country. It is a vital feature of the school system of virtually all the great cities of importance and it is having a large influence on the work of the succeeding school grades.

And it is yet far from being reached its highest development, as experimentation with methods and materials will probably continue indefinitely.

Professor Paul Milvukoff, Russia's new foreign minister, is well known in the academic circles of the United States and has lectured at the University of Chicago, at the Lowell Institute in Boston, before the Civic Forum of New York City, and at Washington. Long before his arrival in America for the first time, at the age of 45, he was widely known throughout Europe as an authority on Russian history and economics. He got his master's degree at the University of Moscow, with dissertation on Peter the Great. In 1894 he organized a university extension movement in Russia and became its first president. His writings include "Chief Currents of Russian Historical Thought," and "Essays in the History of Russian Civilization."

He traveled widely, held a chair for two years in the University of Bulgaria at Sofia, spent several years in excavating the necropolis of the Halstatt epoch in Macedonia, and in the interest of the Russian Institute of Constantinople published the results of his investigations in its memoirs. No figure in the Russian revolutionary movement is of more interest to Americans than that of Prof. Milvukoff, and he has himself often said that the thrilling example of American liberty had been in his life work for Russian freedom a source of constant inspiration.

Mrs. Anna Tolley of Chester underwent a severe operation at the Home Sanitarium yesterday and at last accounts was doing as well as could be expected.

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p. m. Both phones, 275.
Residence—1123 W. State street.
Both phones, 151.

Virginia Dinsmore, M. D.
Office and residence, 303 West
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Telephone—Bell, 180; Ill. 139.
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Requires Executive Ability
The planning of meals is not a task for the idle or the ignorant. A great deal of time and thought is required on the part of the one having this work in charge, and a certain degree of executive ability is absolutely essential. If an effort is made toward standardizing the meals the problem will be much simplified. For instance in the family of sedentary habits the breakfast should be a comparatively light meal, while if the members of the family are engaged in active work the food served at the morning meal should be of a heavier type. In the same way the lunches and dinners may be of a standard nature, bearing constantly in mind that the food requirements of the family depend entirely upon the daily habits of life of the members.

"At least one hot dish should be included in each menu. At breakfast this may take the form of a cooked cereal or cocoa or some such beverage. A simple dinner may consist of two hot dishes, for instance meat and a vegetable, and a simple dessert. It is a good rule not to add any dish unless it is going to contribute something materially to the menu. One green vegetable should form part of every dinner, but there is no advantage to be gained by the serving of two green vegetables. Both as a rule meet the same requirements of the body, and it is much easier to give a variety if one vegetable is served on one day and another on a succeeding day. Similar foods should not be served at the same meal, as this will result in the taking of a too liberal amount of certain food elements at the expense of certain other essentials. If the major portion of the fuel of the meal is obtained

from the dessert the rest of the meal should be light, and on the same principle if the main part of the meal is heavy the dessert should be light.

No Rules for Combining
"As to what kinds of foods go together depends quite largely upon whether the person is an Eskimo or a diletante. There are no fixed rules governing the combination of foods, but there are certain principles which govern the arrangement of the food. Certain foods leave the stomach sooner than others, and each meal should include food substances which are slower of digestion and therefore "stay by" one longer. Protein foods are heating in their tendency and while for this reason desirable as a staple food in the arctic zone, would not be so in the temperate or torrid zone. The food should be approximately equal in fuel value from day to day, and those foods which are hard to digest should not be massed together on one day. Concentrated foods should be served with those of a bland nature, and those which stimulate the digestion should, of course be served at the beginning of the meal. Fruits, which promote the appetite, should also be served at the beginning of the meal. Spiced and rich syrups should be used sparingly because they have a tendency to irritate the lining of the stomach.

"Variety is to be sought for but does not necessarily mean a wide range of food materials. The providing of a contrast in color, texture and flavor will do much toward preventing a monotony in the daily meals. It is better not to have the same food repeated in the same form from meal to meal, and it is better not to have the same food in different forms served at the same meal. Leftovers are always a problem to the housekeeper, but they can be utilized in many ways and will aid in providing a variety in the menu. They should in all cases be taken out of the original setting in which they were served and put into an entirely different one. Another way to give variety is by alternating the flavors of the courses—a highly flavored one and a bland one, a hot one and a cold one.

Summer and Winter Menus
"There should be a distinct difference in the menus of summer and winter. In the summer time people are more liable to digestive disturbances and there is also a natural relaxation of the muscles of the body, including the muscles of the stomach and other digestive organs. In addition it has been found that when the perspiration is greatest the rate of gastric juice is least and so in the summer the foods are

easily digested should be provided. In the winter the conditions are reversed. The system has more muscular tone, the appetite is better and the digestive organs have more activity, and consequently any excess of food can be more easily dealt with in winter than in summer. Cold desserts in summer are very appetizing and the cold beverages are also good, provided they are not taken rapidly enough to chill the stomach. Bacteria are more apt to give trouble in summer, so extra precautions should be taken to keep food from spoiling.

"The cost of foods is one thing which makes the housekeeper's task so difficult, and the increasing cost of all commodities adds constantly to the difficulty. A number of factors enter into the cost of food-stuffs, among which might be named the labor of production, the cost of transportation—the deterioration of food in transit considerably swelling the latter—and the lack of uniformity of pure food laws in this country must have at least one expert lawyer employed to keep them from transgressing the pure food laws now upon the statute books. Goods in packages add to the cost, and generally the smaller and more fancy the package the more we pay. It is generally cheaper to buy the larger package or jar if the food is not such as will spoil. The delivery service which the grocers find it necessary to maintain is another factor contributing to the cost of foods.

"The esthetic appeal of certain foods adds to the cost. Most people prefer the choice cuts of meat and as these portions are small by comparison with the other parts of the animal, the cost is considerably higher. Some housekeepers will buy none but white eggs, and in the fruits and vegetables the demand is for the finer and larger article.

No Economy in Cheapest
"It is not necessarily economy to buy the cheapest that may be had. It is possible to buy apples so poor and knarled that there will be a great waste in preparing them for consumption. The same thing applies to many other lines of food-stuffs. Some people buy chuck roast of beef under the impression that it is cheap, but the chuck contains so much bone and gristle and waste material that there is really a higher price for the edible meat than in the case of the more expensive cuts of meat. Oatmeal stands high in food value in proportion to its cost, but a person could not live very long on oatmeal without the addition of fruits and vegetables. This is true because in the use of oatmeal an acid condition is produced in the body, the same being true in regard to meat, eggs, white flour,

corn, etc. So with all these foods there should be served some kind of food rich in alkali material which will counteract the effect of the acid and thus render them harmless. Acidosis is a condition which has not until comparatively recent years been recognized, even by physicians. "Certain general principles must be followed in planning the food for the family. There must be a definite idea as to how much the family requires. This is indicated by the amount of energy the person is using, and by the weight and age. In all the planning we must remember that the food pulls upon the individual, and that a diet may contain all that is needed in the way of food elements and yet will not appeal to one. Flavor should be developed to the highest degree by means of the cooking. Tomatoes in season are not very expensive and add materially to the flavor of various foods. The same is true of onions. A small portion of pork, bacon or ham will give flavor to a large dish of baked beans, and a small quantity of beef or mutton combined with vegetables makes a tempting stew.

Miss Walker referred to the bulletins gotten out by the government treating on various phases of the food problem. One of these is on the economical use of meat in the home and another deals with the preparation of beans and other legumes for food, suggesting different ways in which they may be used. On the blackboard were tables giving the chemical composition of various foods, showing the proportion of nutritive material contained, and a table indicating the cost due to special manipulation. Another tabulation gave the cost per 100 calories of certain kinds of food. This table was compiled several months ago and the figures are based on the prices which prevailed at that time.

Food Costs in Calories.
The table follows:
One-third of one cent per 100 calories: Oatmeal, dried peas at 8c, bread, hominy.
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Three-fourths to one cent: Shredded wheat, bacon, corn flakes, dates, dried apples, grape-nuts, beets, tapioca.
One to two cents: Butter, milk at 10c, pork at 22c, corned beef, canned salmon, prunes, cheese, figs, olive oil, potatoes at \$2 per bu., porter, house.
Two to five cents: Mutton, half-but, cabbage, canned corn, carrots, veal, canned tomatoes.
Five cents plus: Cranberries, chicken, asparagus, celery, lettuce, cucumbers, gelatine.

AUTO NOTES

Charles Gibbs of Lynnville reached the city yesterday in his car.
Henry Eckhoff and wife drove up to the city yesterday from Chapin in their Reo car.
Wm. Glenn of Ashland made a trip to the city yesterday in his Jeffery car.
J. W. Graft of Ashland drove down to the city yesterday in his Jeffery car.
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Duckett rode up to the city yesterday from Chapin in their Halliday car.
Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle and Susie O'Donnell arrived in the city yesterday from Winchester in their Paige car.
Frank Dolan and family made a trip from Winchester to the city yesterday in their Ford car.
Albert Crum and wife came down to the city from Litchberry yesterday in their Maxwell car.
W. H. Mossely arrived in town from Piggas yesterday in his Ford car.
O. M. Peterfish and family rode down to the city from Litchberry yesterday in their Interstate car.
A. E. Curry of Pisgah made a trip to the city yesterday in his Oldsmobile car.

J. J. Dooley of Chicago representing an auto the company called on Wheeler & Sorrells the West Court street garage men yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ranson residing near New Berlin came to the city yesterday in their Lexington-Howard car.
W. F. Roegge of Meredosia made a trip to the city yesterday in his new Reo car.
Mr. and Mrs. John Boddy, sons and daughters and Miss Sawtelle rode in yesterday from Markham in their Studebaker car.
F. M. Peak, wife and daughter and Mrs. Wainwright rode up to the city from Winchester yesterday in their Ford car.
Frank Garwood of Springfield rode over to the city yesterday in his fine Winton 6 car.

Just received another lot of that delicious strained and comb honey at Weber's grocery

FIREMAN GOES WITH COMPANY

Chief Hunt yesterday was mourning the loss of Fred O'Daffer one of his regular firemen who is a member of Company B and left with the company yesterday afternoon. Commissioner of Public Health and Safety Martin assured O'Daffer that a man would be employed only temporarily in his place and that the position was his whenever he returned.

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March 5, 1917

Loans and Discounts	\$1,403,214.50
Overdrafts	8,659.30
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	828,747.64
Furniture and Fixtures	11,807.48
Real Estate	2,281.13
Cash and Exchange	1,092,739.04
	\$3,547,449.09
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Divided Profits	169,758.06
Outstanding Notes	200,000.00
RESERVE FUND	2,977,691.03
	\$3,547,449.09

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Little souvenirs, representing the most desirable Easter offering. Don't forget to look over our cards; we have many beautiful effects in Easter cards.

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IN BOOSTER MEETING

Valuable Suggestions Made at Get-Together Meeting at Church Friday Evening—Greater Progress in Future Anticipated.

Last evening a merry company gathered at the Congregational church for a very social occasion. Some wise well wishers of the Sunday school had suggested a sort of get-together gathering to see what could be done in the way of promoting the interests of that organization. Superintendent Ebenezer Spink, energetic and always anxious to promote the welfare of the school, was honest and said the idea didn't originate with him, but that as soon as it was suggested he heartily approved of it and aided it in every possible way.

From the earliest days mankind has ever enjoyed good things to eat and the people of this body are no exception, so first of all it was decided to have a good supper; then some suggestions along the line of entertainment were made. The tables were spread in the lecture room and every available space was utilized there to make room for all who were ready to eat, the invitation having been extended only to those who are members of the school or who should be. The bill of fare was excellent and admirably served. Instead of regular grace at Dr. Post's suggestion all repeated the Lord's prayer.

Patriotic Hymn Sung

After the supper and before proceeding to business Mr. Spink remarked that these were trying times, the country was in danger and patriotism was at a premium, and he suggested singing the Battle Hymn of the Republic before proceeding with the program, and accordingly the stirring tones of the grand hymn resounded thru the building.

Remarks from Teachers
Mr. Spink then called for remarks from teachers or representatives of the various classes.

Mrs. C. H. Smith responded for the cradle roll, and said the number of the little ones wasn't as large as she wished, still the work was progressing satisfactorily.

Mrs. L. S. Doane spoke for the primary class composed, as she remarked, of good children enjoying a nice room and good facilities and doing good work.

Mrs. Clark talked about a branch of the primaries and especially dwelt on the fact of their familiarity with bible stories and the fact that they are learning bible verses and getting acquainted with the blessed book.

Miss Margaret Irving was introduced as one especially successful with some restless boys over whom she is exerting a helpful influence. Miss Bonnie Wood told pleasantly of the class of young misses who are storing away useful knowledge of the Bible and striving to fit themselves for a better life.

Value of Music
Miss Ruth Irving spoke as leader of the Sunday school music and made a number of suggestions. Music is something requiring constant study and application and the Sunday school is entitled to the best. She valued the work of the orchestra and remarked that they might improve in the matter of prompt and regular attendance.

Miss Turner, a student at Illinois college, told of College Sunday school classes. The Sunday school was not denominational and she would like to see a large collection of college students and high school pupils with definite aims and methods. They need special classes and teachers and special study courses and cooperation with all departments of the work. There should be suitable entertainments and all classes should be cultivated and there should be harmony and consultation with the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.

Should Attract Young
Mrs. T. P. Carter spoke for her husband, a teacher of the young men's class. She believed in seeking to know and to do what will properly attract the young, not foolish sensation, but the good things that tend to life's betterment.

Miss Marion Fairbank spoke for the young married people's class and gave her ideas regarding the way and manner in which that class might be improved and the reporter would add that in the young lady they surely have a good example of a faithful and efficient church worker.

J. P. Lippincott spoke as leader of the men's bible class and told of the work they were doing, the researches and studies made and the desirable fields of investigation into which they had entered.

Superintendent Complimented
Dr. Post spoke in a highly complimentary manner of the superintendent, Mr. Spink, and of the work in Anna Long and Miss Irene Cox. He took a hopeful view of conditions and trusted that greater things were in store for the school.

All then adjourned to the parlors above where a pleasant social time was enjoyed by all.

Schrage and Cully's Coffees
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REBUILDING DINSMORE HOME
Scott P. Carter has the contract for rebuilding the Dinsmore residence at the corner of West College avenue and South West street which was destroyed by fire several weeks ago. Mr. Carter has already commenced work and will push the job forward as rapidly as possible to completion.

New strawberries today—
Douglas.

RED CROSS PENNANT
The pennant won by Morgan county for the sale of Red Cross seals is on exhibition in the Journal office window. The pennant is red with white letters and is a handsome piece of work. It is the third time that Morgan county has won the honors.

MISS ALICE BRAY WINS
WHIPPLE DECLAMATORY

Felix Farrell, Jr. and Charles Nickel, Tie for Second Honors in Contest, Friday Evening

Miss Alice Bray won first place in the annual Whipple declamatory contest in declamation, held Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Jones Memorial building of Illinois college. Her reading was "The Little God and Dickey" and in her rendition of this dramatic selection was shown a high degree of speaking ability. Two of the young men contesting showed marked ability and when the findings of the judges were consulted it was found that Felix Farrell, Jr., who spoke "The Star Spangled Banner," and Charles Nickel, who gave "A Vision of the Civil War," had tied for second honors.

Prof. J. C. Robinson, principal of Whipple academy, presided. An organ solo by Fred Bray and a vocal selection by Miss Frances Gating added to the pleasure of the program. The judges were Prof. W. H. P. Huber, of Jacksonville High school, Mrs. P. C. Thompson and Mrs. Chester A. Hemphill. The attendance was good and the work of each performer spoke well for the natural ability and training of each. Miss Elson Barnes was in charge of training for the contest.

Following are the remaining contestants, with the subjects of each:

Francis Doane—"Bunker Hill Oration"

Miss Shirley Margatroy—"The Last Leaf"

Miss Esther Gustafson—"If I Were King"

Miss Golda Taylor—"A Retributive Trip"

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FUNERALS

McAllister

Herbert McAllister of Griggsville died at Passavant hospital Friday morning at 11:59 from injuries received at Griggsville several weeks ago when a tree fell on him. His condition has been regarded as critical for several days. His father and mother came to Jacksonville on the Vabash passenger Friday morning and were with him when death came.

Deceased was a native of Pike county, the son of Edwin and Mary Sweeting McAllister and was born near Griggsville Nov. 29, 1878. The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of W. W. Gillham and prepared for burial and were taken to Griggsville on the Vabash Friday afternoon. The time of the funeral has not been set.

Waterfield
The body of G. W. Waterfield, who passed away at the home of his son in Beardstown, was brought Friday forenoon to Jacksonville via the C. B. & Q. and sent by the C. & A. to Sinclair. Funeral services were held Friday noon at Hebron M. E. church, in charge of the Rev. C. B. Cantrell, pastor of the Christian church at Concord. The music was furnished by the choir of Hebron church. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. A. Evers and Mrs. E. Rich, both of Beardstown. Burial was made in Hebron cemetery. The bearers were J. W. Wilson, George Wheeler, Frank Zirkle, Hugh Zirkle and Chester Wilson.

Dyer
Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the late Mrs. Marcus Dyer, whose death occurred at her home in Virginia Wednesday after an extended illness. The services were held from the Virginia M. E. church in charge of the Rev. C. E. Javinal and interment was made in Walnut Ridge cemetery.

Decensed was born in Bracken county, Ky., Jan. 10, 1884, and was the daughter of William and Katherine Frank. She was brought when a child to the Virginia community and had since made her home there. She was united in marriage with Marcus Dyer in April, 1905, and they were the parents of three children, Norman, Edward, Florence and Allen, who together with the father survive. Deceased is also survived by her parents and two sisters, Mrs. Walker Mallicoat of Virginia and Mrs. Edward Williams of Beardstown.

Cox
Funeral services for Hardin Cox were held from First Baptist church at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon in charge of the Rev. A. A. Todd. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Miss Hazel Belle Long, Mrs. Hart, Fred Mayer and H. A. Brewer. The flowers were cared for by Miss Elizabeth Long. Miss Anna Long and Miss Irene Cox, burial was in Jacksonville cemetery. The bearers being Jonas Lashmet, James Stout, James McDonald, D. T. Helmlich, R. C. Reynolds and A. B. Williamson.

The remains were accompanied to this city by the widow of the deceased, an one George Cox of Joplin, Mo., and Jerry Cox and Everett Long of this city who were called to Missouri by Mr. Cox's death.

AUTO COMPANY PROPERTY
SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION

Prices were received which will net the creditors about twenty-five cents on the dollar at the assignment sale of the property of the Jacksonville Automobile company, held at 10 o'clock under the supervision of Bellatti, Bellatti & Moriarty. G. Cox was auctioneer and the bidding was spirited, the prices for equipment and accessories did not reach a high level. The sale totaled something more than \$900.

A lathe and motor was purchased by George Bernier for \$125. George Imgrund purchased a service car for \$85 and the same buyer acquired a gasoline tank, in first class condition, for the sum of seventy-four dollars.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR
IMPROVEMENT OF PARKS

Mr. Kooyers Finished Work Yesterday and Steps will be Taken at Once to Carry Out Suggestions.

Mr. Kooyers, who came here from Holland, Mich., to offer suggestions regarding the beautifying of the parks, finished his work yesterday, remaining all day and intending to leave this morning. His work has been thoroughly and systematically done and steps will at once be taken to carry out the plans. Complete plans of Central and Duncan parks have been made, flower beds located and general plans prepared. It is the plan first to set out only shrubbery and leave places for flower beds at some future time when practicable. The shrubbery has all been selected, will at once be ordered and set out just as soon as possible. Both Duncan and Central parks will be made as beautiful as practicable and as speedily as possible.

Mr. Kooyers also went carefully over Nichols park and gave some valuable suggestions regarding the large flower beds, the smaller ones, just north of the pavilion and others.

The pool once intended for swimming purposes he said could well be made beautiful with water lilies and other aquatic plants and would be very attractive. He suggested also planting these in the shallow parts of the lagoons and said there would be no danger of their spreading and becoming a nuisance in the lake in general.

He suggested a fringe of natural bushes and small trees along the south side of the lake which would add immensely to the general appearance. He remarked that while the place is lovely as it is, the possibilities for an especially beautiful park are boundless.

His visit here has been of the greatest benefit and value. He is thoroughly posted in his work and will always be a welcome guest with the Jacksonville park board.

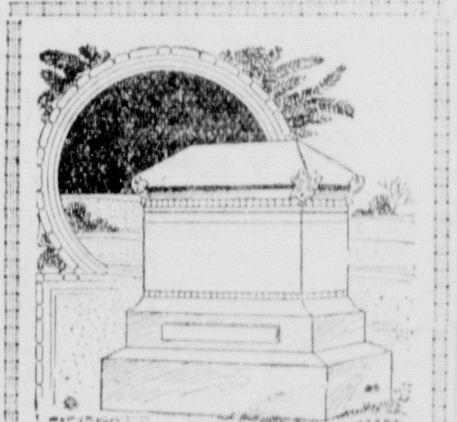
New strawberries today—
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GOLF TOURNEYS AT PINSHURST

Pinshurst, N. C., March 30.—A week filled with interest for golf enthusiasts was ushered in today with the seventh annual amateur professional matches on the links of the Pinshurst Country club. These matches are to be followed tomorrow by the seventeenth annual United North and South open championship. Next week the season will reach its climax in the annual competition for the United North and South Amateur championship. The last named tournament will open Monday and continue through the entire week.

WELL-BOILED MARKET

Mrs. Herald's Circle of Grace church will hold a market today at Dorward's. Homemade bread, pies, cakes, etc., will be for sale.



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Ill. Phone: Ill. 32; Bell, 109.REPORTS ESCAPED
SAILORS IN CHIHUAHUA

EL PASO, Texas, March 30.—Two Germans appeared at the Chihuahua City foreign club Sunday morning as the guests of the German residents of that city and were said by their German hosts to have escaped from the German raider Prinz Eitel Friedrich, interned at Philadelphia, according to an American business man who arrived tonight from Chihuahua City. The Germans arrived in Chihuahua City Friday he said, but did not appear at the club until Sunday when they were given an informal reception by the German residents of the city. He said the Germans in Chihuahua City told him the two men had come there by way of Juarez.

WITH THE SICK

Miss Sophronia Kent, who has been kept by illness from her teaching duties at the high school, is improving and hopes soon to resume her position.

ORDER ENROLLMENT RUSHED

Chicago, Ill., March 30.—Orders have been received by Captain W. A. Moffett, commandant of the Great Lakes Training Station, to rush the enrollment of a division of 2,000 men to serve on 500 yachts and power boats being collected for war purposes. Arrangements were made for the distribution of the yachts in the Great Lakes and a preliminary cruise of three weeks is being planned.

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spitting and hawking and evil odor of the breath will not only cause misery to you, but will make your presence obnoxious to others. S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years, will relieve your catarrh, because it will purify your blood and relieve it of the accumulated poisons. S. S. S. contains no mineral or habit-forming drugs. S. S. S. is on sale at all druggists and the advice of our medical department is at your disposal, free of charge. Swift Specific Co., 232 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

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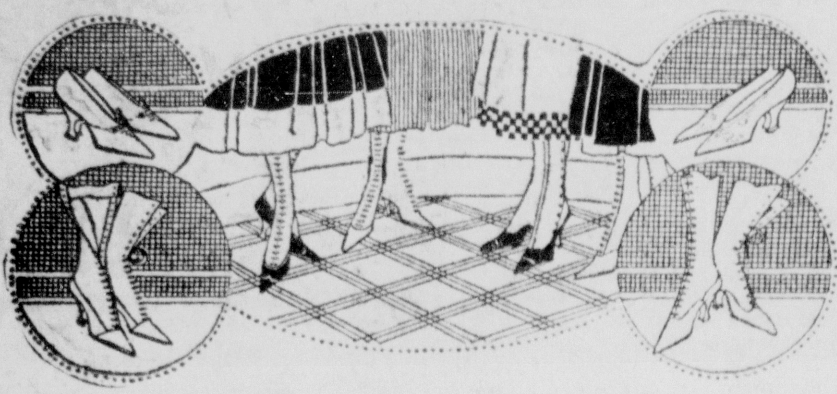
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LARGE AUDIENCE GREETED MISS HELEN HENRY

Song Recital Friday Evening at Illinois Woman's College. Pleased All by High Quality of Musical Program

An appreciative audience of splendid proportions greeted Miss Helen Henry in her song recital last evening at Music Hall, Illinois Woman's college. Miss Henry is a pupil of Mrs. Florence Pierson Hartmann.

Miss Henry has a lovely voice of pure lyric quality. Her appearance on the platform showed composure and ease and in the more difficult passages discriminating auditors were impressed with the excellent breath control displayed.

The aria from Carmen, Miss Henry sang smoothly and with fine feeling, taking the high notes with ease and precision. The German group was well done, especially "The Child's Prayer" by Max Regner.

Miss Henry was very well received and was commended by hearty applause to respond to many requests of encore.

Miss Burnett, a graduate of the College of Music, accompanied Miss Henry. She gave splendid support and at all times seemed in perfect sympathy with the singer.

The program was as published in Friday's Journal.

New assortment of coatings in all the new spring shades. Harmon's Dry Goods Store.

F. F. Beggs of Ashland looked after business matters in the city yesterday.

WINCHESTER

Miss Mary Ellis of White Hall visited Thursday afternoon and Friday at the home of Mrs. Grant Maden.

Miss Ellis is attending school this winter in Galesburg and is enjoying a spring vacation.

A number of Bluffs citizens were here Friday in the interest of extending a road from the vicinity of Bluffs to the state road.

All the high school and grade teachers went to Alsey Friday afternoon to attend the meeting of the Scott County Teachers' association.

The schools were dismissed Friday at noon.

Joseph Woodington held a sale of household goods Friday afternoon, a large crowd attending.

Mr. Woodington desires to make disposal of all his property before returning to his home in St. Louis.

Mrs. Elsie Watson received word Friday that her daughter, Mrs. Thornton Sheppard, ill in Colorado, was somewhat improved.

As soon as her condition will allow Mrs. Sheppard expects to pay her mother a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Patrick left Thursday night for Minnesota where they were called by the death of their daughter, Mrs. Quinn.

Burial will be made in Winchester and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick expect to arrive with the remains the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moore and Miss Ella Hawk of Merritt passed Thursday on their way to Glasgow to attend the teachers' meeting.

Miss Nell McGuire was here Thursday from Jacksonville for a visit with her mother.

If you want good seed go to Brady Bros.

WM. HEFFNER LONG TIME COUNTY RESIDENT

Is Past Eighty Years of Age but Still Vigorous—An Interesting Family History.

One of the best known men in the northern part of the county bordering on Cass is William Heffner, now four years past eighty but still in the full possession of his mental faculties the various causes have tended to weaken his sight and hearing and his legs are hardly as supple as they were a half century ago but good habits and a clear conscience have enabled him to accomplish a great deal in life.

Mr. Heffner was born in Florissant, St. Louis county, Missouri, Jan. 30, 1833, the son of Thomas and Margaret Delaney Heffner. His father was German and the mother of Irish extraction the born in Pennsylvania. The son lived in Florissant till fourteen years of age when he went to St. Louis. His mother died Jan. 1, 1834, leaving her little son to be cared for by others. His father lived till June 20, 1847, when one day he had a violent attack of nose bleeding and the doctor stopped the flow by plugging the nose and caused the blood to flow inwardly and strangle the patient. That was about noon and the second death in the home. An older son had been afflicted with toothache and it is possible that some remedy tried by him cost him his life as he had died a little after midnight the same date. The older brother left a wife to whom he had been married but seven months. The deceased brother was named Thomas, after the father and later the widow gave birth to Thomas number three, he now lives in Normandy, Missouri and is the father of a large family. Mr. Heffner had three sisters all of whom are dead.

Began Work in Wagon Shop. The boy only fourteen entered a wagon shop where he worked for three years and then transferred to a spoke factory and before he was 21 he was appointed foreman and then, after a year, he went to planing mill where he worked as leader till March, 1861, when he moved to the farm on which he now lives. Heffner has been a force in his community in many ways. He was naturally an adept in the care and treatment of horses and did a large amount of veterinary work for the people all about him. He was also an authority on bees and knew much about the wonderful little insects which play so great a part in the comfort and subsistence of man. He was always fond of reading and long as his eyesight permitted and his fund of general information is large and he has ever been able to communicate his views to others so that he has often been consulted on many subjects.

He was married Oct. 13, 1859 to Miss Phoebe Bailey in Franklin county, Missouri and so far nearly sixty years they have happily traveled together the journey of life and bid fair to be spared to each other for some years to come. He has a son, Morris A., and a daughter, M. Phoebe L., both at home, and with the 200 acre farm there is enough for them both to do.

Had Many Accidents. Mr. Heffner says he has had almost numberless accidents in his life and they have tended to lessen his vitality to a marked degree. His eyesight is poor and his hearing defective and he hardly gets about with the activity which once characterized his movements but his mental faculties are yet all right and he can do many things that have transcended during his long and eventful life.

Mr. Heffner's son is a drainage commissioner and a pensioner prominent in many ways in the vicinity in which he lives and is an honor to his parents as is their daughter. It is a proud boast of Mr. Heffner that he voted twice for Abraham Lincoln and ever since that time the ticket of the party that gave the great emancipator to the land. He sees no use in scratching a ticket for as a rule he thinks not much is to be gained by it. He gives a good reason for the belief that is in him.

HOWARD ZAHN SELLS THE 41ST BUICK

R. D. Megginson of Woodson believes in first class traveling and to that end has bought of Howard Zahn a Buick roadster which he will proceed to enjoy all right.

DELEGATES RETURN FROM DANVILLE CONVENTION.

Mrs. Carl E. Black, regent, and Miss Marian Fairbank, delegate, both of whom represented the Rev. James Caldwell chapter, D. A. R., in the state convention held at Danville, have returned to the city and report a very successful session.

Governor Bradford chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution, entertained delegates and visitors to the number of two hundred. Report was made on the book to be published by the D. A. R. on the revolutionary soldiers who have been buried in Illinois. Mrs. Edwin F. Walker of Springfield has been at work for several years compiling the necessary data.

A universal training resolution was introduced and, after some debate, passed by the vote of a good majority. Following are the officers elected:

NEW SPRING COATS AND SUITS JUST RECEIVED AT HERMAN'S.

BAPTIST CHOR ENTERTAINED. The choir of First Baptist church gathered for a social time Friday evening at the church. The basses and tenors were the hosts and the soprano and alto members of the choir were guests.

All kinds of spring and summer furnishing goods. Knoles.

MRS. EDELBROCK DIES AT CHAPIN HOME

Death Came Friday Afternoon of Heart Disease—Mrs. Melinda Seymour, Well Known Resident of Franklin, Called.

Mrs. Mary Edelbrock died at her home in Chapin Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after a brief illness, heart failure being the cause of death. Deceased was born in Germany, January 23, 1840 and came to Illinois in 1846. She was united in marriage to John Edelbrock August 10, 1858. To this union six children were born. The husband died many years ago and one daughter, Etta C. Edelbrock died July 4, 1915.

The surviving children are: John Edelbrock of Eudora, Kans., Mrs. Mary Heiser of Benton, Kans., W. J. Edelbrock of Chapin, Henry Edelbrock of Jacksonville. She also leaves thirteen grandchildren.

Mrs. Edelbrock was for many years a faithful member of the Lutheran church. She was a woman possessed of many admirable traits of character and was highly regarded in the community in which she lived for so many years.

Funeral services will be held from the German Lutheran church four miles northwest of Chapin Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Selving. Burial will be in Concord cemetery.

Seymour. Death came Friday morning to Mrs. Melinda Seymour of Franklin, widow of the late Capt. W. R. Seymour, as the result of heart disease and complications. Mrs. Seymour was the mother of Mrs. Charles R. Knollenberg of this city and had for years been numbered among the respected residents of Franklin.

Deceased was born in Morgan county, Dec. 10, 1844, and prior to her marriage was Melinda Grimsley. She was united in marriage with W. R. Seymour in 1861. Mr. Seymour soon after his marriage enlisted and served through the Civil war as a captain. Mr. Seymour died Jan. 23, 1892. Mr. and Mrs. Seymour were the parents of nine children, three of whom preceded their mother in death. They were Mrs. Addie Spire, who died Jan. 24, 1893; Mrs. Neal Jamison, who died in November, 1893; and Mrs. Susan Roberts, who died July 5, 1899. The surviving children are Harry M. Seymour, of Centralia; Mrs. W. P. Cillon, Decatur; Mrs. W. F. Murphy, South Bend, Ind.; Mrs. C. R. Knollenberg, Jacksonville; Mrs. George E. Brown, Franklin; Austin R. Seymour, Hibbing, Minn. There is also one sister, Mrs. Susan Rees of this city and ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Deceased lived on a farm a number of years but for the last twenty years had been a resident of Franklin. She was a member of the Methodist church there and had always lived a consistent Christian life. She was possessed of many admirable qualities which won for her the love and respect of all who knew her.

FREE LECTURE On Christian Science by Clarence C. Eaton, member Christian Science Board of Lecturership of the First Church of Christian Science in Boston, Mass., Sunday, April 1, 3 p. m., Odd Fellows' Temple, East State St.

ROBERT KEATING IS GRADUATE FROM ANNAPOLIS

The Chicago Herald yesterday had pictures of Robert E. Keating of this city, and four other Illinois young men who have just graduated from Annapolis. The commencement exercises were advanced three months because of the present demand for trained men in the navy. The four mentioned with Mr. Keating are Anson A. Bigelow, Chicago; P. W. Warren, Springfield; Nicholas Bytall, Chicago; E. J. Moran, Chicago.

The Jacksonville young man is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keating and was appointed to Annapolis about five years ago. He has made an excellent record in the academy and on the training ships where he has served.

JUST RECEIVED A lot of spring silks in all the latest designs. Harmon's Dry Goods Store.

MINISTER FROM IOWA TO PREACH AT PISGAH.

Rev. T. G. Shaw of Iowa, who occupied the pulpit at Pisgah Presbyterian church two weeks ago, will be there again Sunday. Mr. Shaw will preach at both morning and evening services. A number of the members who heard him two weeks ago are favorable to the plan of extending a call to the pastorate of the church and it is therefore hoped that there will be a large representation of the membership this coming Sunday.

Incubators, brooders, chicken coops, waterers, poultry netting, poultry fence, everything the best; prices right, too. Brady Bros.

CENTENNIAL BOARD HAS MEETING AT COURT HOUSE.

The executive board of the Morgan County Centennial association met Friday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in the office of County Judge W. E. Thomson. A temporary organization was formed with Mrs. Carl E. Black as chairman and Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson as secretary. Mrs. Black will call the board in session next week for further business.

Dressed chickens. Douglas.

MEETING AT ASBURY The reorganization of the Sunday school at Asbury has been set for 2 p. m. A full attendance is desired. There will be preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald, at 3 p. m.

GOLF EXPERT GOES OVER LOCAL COURSE

Makes Suggestions Which Will be Useful to Local Players.

Otto E. Roeder of St. Louis, with the Wright and Ditson Sporting Goods Co., was in the city yesterday, having been brought here for the purpose of looking over and rearranging the golf course at Nichols park. The gentleman was very much pleased with the beautiful playground which the city of Jacksonville enjoys and had many complimentary things to say about it in general. He is an old time friend of F. E. Farrell, who was mainly instrumental in getting him here.

Mr. Roeder arrived Thursday evening with his wife by automobile from St. Louis and yesterday morning went out to the park with Mr. Ford and Terrance Brennan and made a thorough survey of the course. During the day he was also joined by Mr. Farrell and other golf enthusiasts and made a number of valuable suggestions. Heretofore the course has consisted of twelve holes which has not been a desirable number as many used only half of them at most.

Mr. Roeder suggested a nine hole course instead and drove the tee for each hole and the putting green adjacent thereto. This will make the yardage longer between each hole and will offer better inducement to skilled players and give greater opportunity for the exercise of skill in the game and at the same time will reduce the congestion on the links.

A great many things are to be taken into consideration in the game. For instance there is the etiquette of the game which is all important. When two players start they should make their second stroke before any one else starts and many more things enter into consideration. Mr. Roeder said it would be a fine thing if the people of the city would subscribe enough to pay a coach. A charge of 25 cents for the use of the links might help but that would be impracticable as the park is public property.

One good thing that has been suggested and the park board may see fit to enact it and that is to require persons to secure tickets before playing, the tickets to require suitable regard for rules and conduct on the links and if the holder of them breaks the rules, and is found guilty by a fair and impartial trial he shall not be permitted to play for a time to be designated by the proper authorities. So many persons are now using the golf links that some kind of regulation seems necessary, a regulation that will not be a burden on the players but will be a benefit to all of them to properly behaved persons. The matter will have due consideration.

SPECIAL DISCOUNTS. SPECIAL DISCOUNTS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS AT HERMAN'S TODAY.

PROBATE COURT In the conservatorship of Russell Nergenh, the inventory was approved.

In the guardianship of Warren Jones the bond was approved. In the estate of Richard Jewbury the final report was approved. In the estate of W. D. Alford, letters of administration were issued to Ernest Alford. There are four heirs to this estate.

COMPANY B MEN UNDER FEDERAL CONTROL

There were three recruits for Co. B just a few hours after orders had been received for the company to entrain. The new soldiers are Elvid W. Nelson and W. Heiberger. It is interesting to know that the enlisted men of Co. B have all taken the oath provided by the Hay military service bill. By this oath the men have placed themselves at the disposal of both the state and federal governments for a period of three years, and at the termination of the three years will be subject to call as reservists for another three year period. The question of a government form of oath for military members was brought to new notice at the time the troops were called out last summer for service on the Mexican border. At that time a large number of militiamen declined to take the federal oath. However all men of the Jacksonville company are under control of the federal government.

Latest style hats, caps, suits and spring clothing. Knoles.

MARRIAGE OF MISS LEWIS SOLEMNIZED IN DES MOINES

Jacksonville relatives have received account of the recent marriage of Miss Lora G. Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Lewis, and Mr. James E. Kimmel of Chicago. The ceremony was solemnized March 21 at the home of the bride's parents on Hickman ave., Des Moines, Rev. Chas. Medary, chaplain of Drake university, officiating. After the ceremony the young people left a wedding trip of several days at the termination of which they will be at home to friends in Chicago.

Miss Lewis is well known to Jacksonville people, having visited here on numerous occasions. She is a former student of Illinois Woman's college and a graduate of the musical department of Drake university.

MAKING GARDEN? All kinds of best grade of garden tools, at GAY'S RELIABLE Hardware.

LET'S SUB-CONTRACT W. L. Alexander yesterday left for the contract for planning and heating in his proposed apartment house to C. C. Schureman. The preliminary work of staking out the foundation was done yesterday by R. L. Gon-salves, who has the general contract.

CLAUS-OVERLAND CO. HAS NEW SALES ROOM

South Main Street Building Formerly Occupied by C. N. Priest

J. F. Claus will today open a sales room for Overland and Willys-Knight cars at 233 South Main street, the building formerly occupied by the Priest garage. Mr. Claus determined upon this course because of the growth in the sales of the Overland cars this season. Fifteen cars were sold during the month of March this year, against one in the same month last year.

Mr. Claus has represented the Overland in this territory for the past year and a half, and it was just a year ago that he moved into his present location on South Main street. The service station will be maintained at this location, the sales room only being located on South Main street.

At the opening today A. F. Groehl of the Overland company will demonstrate the Willys-Knight "Four," a seven passenger car. There will also be on display a Willys-Knight motor. Mr. Claus will retain George Dewese and Roland Stice as salesmen and George Peck will be the service man.

AN ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF EMBROIDERED GEORGETTE CREPE WAISTS JUST RECEIVED AT HERMAN'S.

MURRAYVILLE RESIDENTS RETURN FROM SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tissington are Home After Sojourn at Pensacola, Fla.—Murrayville News Notes.

Murrayville, Ill., March 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tissington returned home Wednesday from Pensacola, Fla., where they have spent the winter. They report a very pleasant trip, and are enjoying fairly good health.

Harry Cade, James Rea, John Rea, Warren Wright and J. W. Wright were business visitors at Roodhouse Thursday.

Miss Malinda McArthur spent Tuesday night with J. H. Dial and family of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Ray Johnson of Chicago who is a guest of A. J. Johnson and family spent from Thursday until Saturday with friends at Bluffs.

Mrs. Annie Still visited friends at Woodson Thursday.

George and Charles Riggs of Jacksonville were business visitors here Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Cade and Mrs. Maude Rimbey attended the chicken pie dinner given by the Ladies Aid society of the Christian church at Woodson Thursday.

Mrs. Percy Sooy had the misfortune to lose a black leather pocket book Thursday between Jenn Henry's and Woodson. Finder will please leave it at J. E. Thompson's office.

C. J. Wright was a business visitor in St. Louis Friday.

Mrs. J. N. Osborne and her guest, Mrs. Olive Foreman of Carroll, were entertained at dinner Friday at the home of J. E. Osborne and family.

Martha Washington Easter eggs. Douglas.

"CO-OPERATION" THEME AT MURRAYVILLE SCHOOL

First Public Program Given Friday by Next, Fort of Parent-Teacher Association—Session at Jacksonville Hall Addressed by Supt. Vasconcellos

The Murrayville Parent-Teacher association gave a public program Friday afternoon for the first time, holding the meeting in Jackson's hall, in use for school purposes since the recent fire. The program was arranged with a view to showing how a spirit of friendly and effective co-operation among parents and teachers could better be secured.

H. I. Vasconcellos, county superintendent of schools, was present and gave a helpful talk on the value of parent-teacher organizations.

Mrs. C. R. Short read a paper on "The Relation of the Mother to the School," and the complement to this idea was developed by Miss Besse G. Hart, who took as her subject "The Relation of the Teacher to the Home." An able paper on the theme "Co-operation" was presented by the Rev. W. H. McGhee, pastor of Murrayville Methodist church.

Music was furnished by a ladies' quartet. Mrs. Short and Miss Mildred Wright gave a piano duet number. Mrs. A. H. Kennedy was in the chair and Mrs. H. G. Strang served as secretary. The attention at this first meeting was good and members of the association feel highly gratified with the steady progress shown.

Schrag and Cully's Coffees Drink them! They're better!

HOME FROM THE FRONT

Thomas Hayden, son of Rev. F. S. Hayden D. D. of this city, has returned from his military service. He spent eleven months in New Mexico in Battery A, Light artillery at Fort Bliss near El Paso. They were attached to the Fifth Field Artillery and sent their time mainly drilling seeing very little service.

BOUND OVER TO GRAND JURY

William Wright colored charged with the larceny of a buggy was before Justice Dyer Friday morning and was bound over to the May grand jury in the sum of \$100. His bond was furnished by the Rev. J. W. Muse. Wright was arrested on complaint of Louis Conner.

IS BUILDING BUNGALOW

Percy Dooling is erecting a five room bungalow on a lot recently purchased on West Chambers street. V. C. Chumley is the contractor.

COMPANY B LEAVES FOR LAND OF "SOMEWHERE"

STIRRING SCENES OF PATRIOTISM MARK GOING OF MILITIA.

Orders to Entrain Came Friday Morning to Capt. Owen—G.A.R. Veterans Served as Escort of Honor—Big Crowds Surrounded Armory and Accompanied Troops to C. & A. Depot.

"Greater love hath no man than this that he lay down his life for his friend"

It was an enthusiastic and patriotic send-off that Jacksonville gave Capt. L. P. Owen and sixty members of company B when they left Jacksonville Friday afternoon "Somewhere in Illinois."

Early in the day Capt. Owen received orders from Col. Frank of Quincy commander of the Regiment to select sixty men from the members of his company prepared to entrain on the A. 4:50 Friday afternoon.

The news soon spread thru the city and early in the afternoon citizens began to gather in the vicinity of the armory. Upon receipt of orders Capt. Owen began preparations for leaving and the armory was busy during the day.

Orders told Capt. Owen to prepare camp duty and this necessitated laying in of stores and other necessities and the preparing of the baggage of the men of the company. The baggage moved to the Alton station at the afternoon.

Veterans Formed Escort

The veterans of Matt Sta G. A. R. had notified Capt. Owen that they would act as escort company from the armory train unless the order came middle of the night. In accordance with this promise, the George Fauld mustered the men of the post at the Ayers bank at 3:30 o'clock and marched to the armory.

Upon arrival at the armory Owen had his company in rank they presented arms to the veterans. Then a photograph was made of the company and the members of the Starr Post and the line of march taken up to the Alton station.

When the line of veterans approached from South Main street into public square it was a signal for demonstration. Many automobiles were gathered in the square and owners sounded their horns in salute to the soldiers, old and young. There also was cheering and handclapping from the gathered throng.

Arriving at the station the veterans opened ranks and stood with hats removed while the company marched thru. There was an immense crowd at the station which remained until the arrival of the train which was late.

War Time Pictures Recalled

Here the same scenes were enacted that were seen during the civil and Spanish-American wars. Many of the members of Company B are married men and their wives, some with small children and babies in arms were there to bid farewell to their husbands.

While the men were not going to an actual battle front, yet they were going, they knew not where and perhaps before they return to Jacksonville again they may see war in all its horrors. It was the presence of these wives and children and the expression in their faces that brought to one's visions of war in all its grim reality.

It is no easy thing to leave ones family to go into unknown perils and to many a man at the station yesterday there came that feeling that caused a lump to rise in the throat and the eyes to grow dim with gathering mist. Yet it must have been a proud moment to those men who had voluntarily answered the call of their country.

Old Glory looked beautiful waving at the head of the column of gray haired veterans. No doubt as their dimmed eyes rested on its starry folds there came visions of many stirring battles when it was in danger of falling but for the strength of their heads. And it must have looked just as beautiful to the eyes of the young soldiers and perhaps each made a resolve that as long as life lasted it should still maintain its proud place in the sky, the emblem of liberty to all the world.

Company D of Bloomington which is also a unit of the Fifth regiment came down from Bloomington on the same train that carried Company B away. This company transferred here to the Wabash and went west. Its destination is not known.

Fathers, mothers, give your boy a musical education. Start him in the New Boys' Band. Thirty-five already enrolled. Best thing in the world for the boy. The cost is low. See Prof. Goodrick, leader, over Gilbert's, before Monday.

ROAD DISTRICT ELECTIONS.

The road district elections all over Morgan county will be held Tuesday, April 3. There are contests in several districts and naturally a great deal of interest is already being manifested. If the weather is propitious there will be a heavy vote notwithstanding the fact that this is a busy time for the farmers.

Free lecture on Christian Science Sunday, April 1, 3 p. m., I. O. O. F. Temple, East State St.

INHERITANCE TAX FIXED

Report of the appraiser, D. J. Staley, made Friday to Judge W. E. Thomson fixed the amount of income tax in the Patrick Cunningham estate at \$107.50. W. W. Wright, appraiser for the estate of J. J. Sheppard, made report and Judge Thomson fixed the tax at \$142.94.

Hothouse cucumbers. Douglas.

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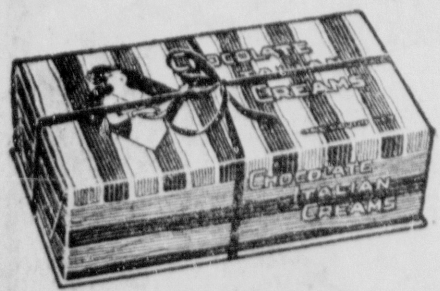
Our Cutlery Stock is fine at old, before war prices—every piece is guaranteed.

Old Fashioned Horehound Drops this week 20c the pound—for coughs, colds—stops the tickle. Sold them for 5 years and sales increasing every year.

"TANLAC" Demonstration Still Going On — COME IN!

THIS WEEK

Chocolate Italian Creams—full lb. box Imported style—luscious, creamy centers vanilla flavor, some with nuts dipped in rich bitter chocolate. Worth 60c a pound for 39c



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